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I saw this really cool watch, so I bought it as an impulse buy. But, it keeps on getting slower and slower. It works at this wonderful speed where it loses about one hour every three hours. If time ran at this speed in real life, just think about how much fun work would be ...

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Only one month remains until the Grand Election Battle. Souichirou's intensive training with the ex-leaders of the 12 Founding Families begins, and the growth of the abilities of a number of people are realized and developed. A man who calls himself "F", Ishiyumi, appears before Souichirou and Aya. The intense battle between Souchirou, who is searching for the answer to Ishiyumi's question of "Who are you fighting for", begins. The battle of the Jyuukenbu vs. The Enforcement Group also takes on a new aspect ...

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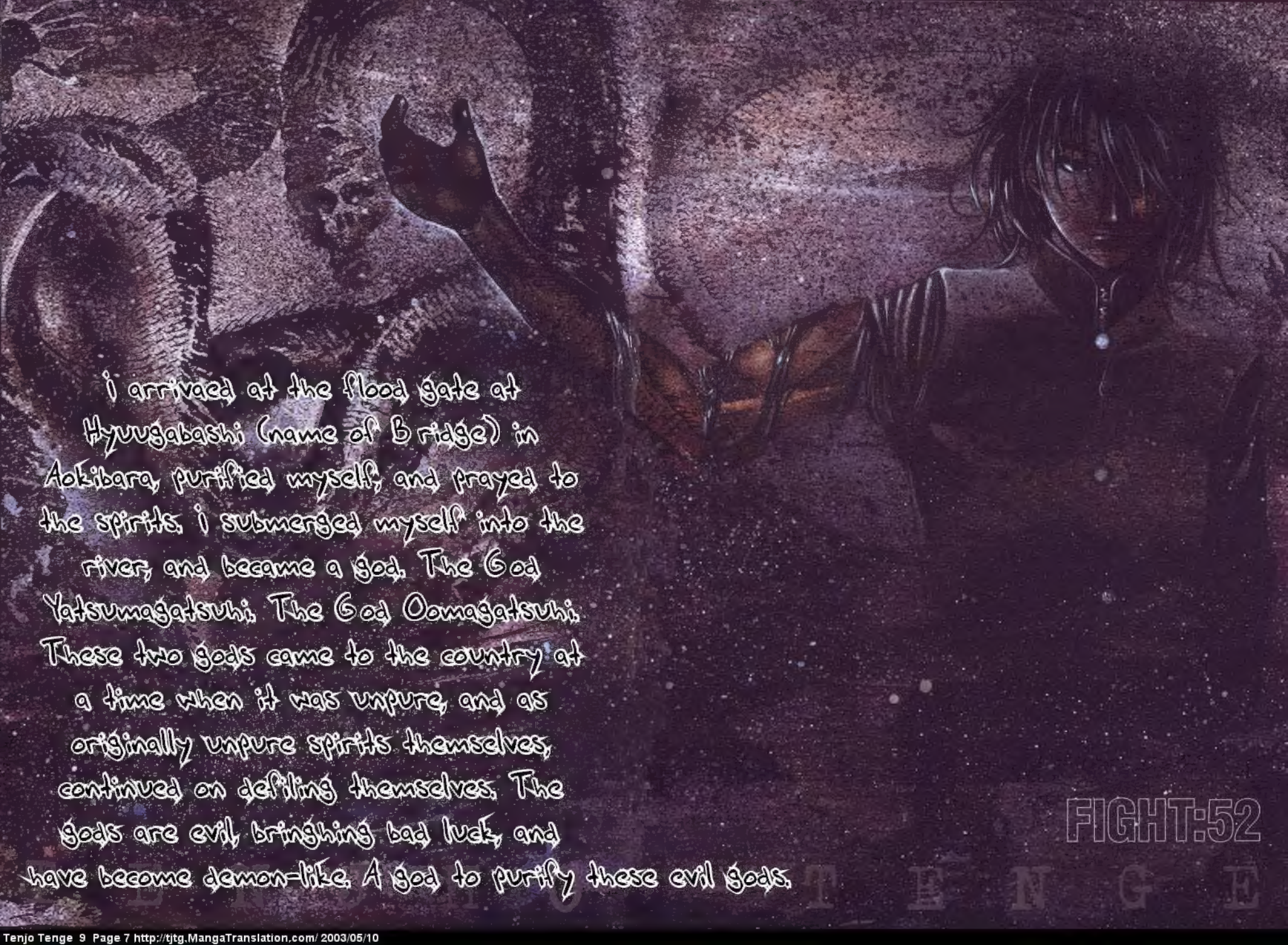
i arrivaed at the flood gate at Hyuugabashi (name of Bridge) in Aokibara, purified myself, and prayed to the spirits. i submerged myself into the river, and became a god. The God Yatsumagatsuhi. The God Oomagatsuhi. These two gods came to the country at a time when it was unpure, and as originally unpure spirits themselves, continued on defiling themselves. The gods are evil, bringhing bad luck, and have become demon-like. A god to purify these evil gods.
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THIS IS AN OLD JAPANESE FOLK TALE
BUT ... WHY
I DON'T SEE IT AS A "GOD" OR A "DEMON", BUT INSTEAD JUST SOME THING "ELSE"
I SAW IT AS A DESCENT

=BAKU=!
OF COURSE !!
JUST WHO THE HELL DO YOU THINK I -
NUU ...
MU ... YOU OK, SHOU-JOU ?
AND DON'T SAY IT'S BECAUSE I'M AN OLD LADY
EVEN THOUGH I'M RIGHT NEXT TO YOU, YOU YELL
ROLL ROLL ROLL
GUOOOO
HE SPLIT OPEN MY FACE !
HOTARU !!
HOTARU !
... AH ...
AH ...
WITHOUT THIS LITTLE "PLAY" I DON'T THINK WE WOULD HAVE BEEN ABLE TO UNLOCK SOUICHIROU'S KEY EVEN WITH A CROW-BAR
I'M SORRY

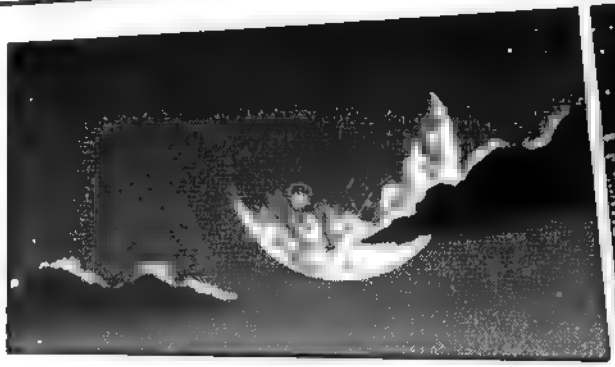
YES, YES ... I'M THANK-FULL
DAMMIT, WHY THE HELL DO WE HAVE TO COME ALL THE WAY OUT HERE TO CLEAN UP YOUR MESS
YOU TOOK MY BEAT-UP DOJO, AND TURNED IT INTO A SUPER BEAT-UP DOJO ...
THANK-FULL DOESN'T FILL THE STOMACH !!
HM, DOUGEN ?

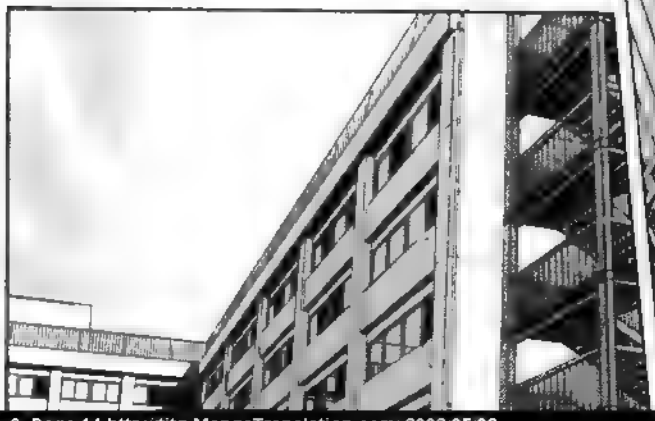
HOTARU: EE HEE HEE HEE

YEAH
NAH, I HAD A LOT OF FUN
IT'S LIKE I'VE RETURNED TO MY 20S
IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME SINCE I'VE DRESSED UP IN SUCH TRENDY CLOTHES LIKE THIS

YOU SHOULD BE MORE WORRIED ABOUT THAT NOSE YOU'RE SO PROUD OF - IT'S BEEN SPLIT RIGHT IN TWO AND IS TAKING ON AN OBSCENE SHAPE
I'M GONNA KILL YA, YOU OLD SHITTY HAG ...
AH, WHAT ARE YOU COMPLAING ABOUT, THIS ISN'T A SERIOUS WOUND

WAN!
KAGIROI
MOTARI
NAGI
KABANE
MANARI
SHOU-JOU
ISHI-YUMI
TSUMUJI
KABUTO
THEY WILL BE YOUR SPECIAL COACHES
12 RED FEATHER GENERAL GODS
THE EX-TAKAYANAGI FLYING PHOENIX
KAGO
THEY AREN'T HERE, BUT
FINALLY NATSUME





KYUPO
... AND THEN ?
KYUPO
I DON'T KNOW, I JUST DON'T REALLY REMEMBER THESE LAST 2 OR 3 DAYS. I DON'T EVEN REALLY KNOW IF IT REALLY HAPPENED OR NOT.
NAH ...
I JUST FEEL LIKE MY BODY TOTALLY NEEDS A BREAK
SHUT UP
SQUEEZE
AND WHAT ARE YOU DOIN' WITH THOSE RETRO HAND-GRIPS?
UNLIKE PRODIGYS LIKE YOU, US COMMONERS CAN ONLY DO STUFF LIKE THIS!!
SO IT HAPPENED THEN. SURE, IT HAPPENED, IT HAPPENED.
PUNK ... DON'T BE SO GLIB ...

AAH ?
IT'S STILL ONLY 3RD PERIOD ...
THAT'S OK!!
SOUICHIROU-SAMA ♡
READY TO GO ?
TO YOU MOTHER'S PLACE!!
I'VE CHECKED WHICH CLASSES YOU CAN SAFELY SKIP FOR THE REST OF THIS MONTH ♡
CLICK
CLICK
YOUR CLASSES TODAY ARE ENGLISH, GYM, SPECIAL, AND HOME ROOM. EVEN IF YOU ARE ABSENT FOR MOST OF THE SEMESTER, YOU CAN STILL MAKE UP FOR IT LATER.
IMPRESSIVE FOR A FRESH-MAN
HE MIGHT EVEN CHANGE THE RECENT HISTORY OF THE ELECTION BATTLE
LOOKS LIKE SUCH A STRICT SCHEDULE IS REALLY TOUGH ON A FOOT-LOOSE GUY LIKE HIM
OWA
SO -
LET'S GO STUDY
LEAVE ME ALONE !!

IT WOULD BE LIKE A REPLICA OF 2 YEARS AGO
ONLY A FRESHMAN, BUT IF HE IS ABLE TO SOME-HOW TOPPLE MITSUOMI-SAN ...
IF YOU TWO CAN DO THAT, YOU'LL BECOME THE CLASS HEROS
WE'LL GIVE OUR BEST EFFORT
KASHYA
KASHYA
KYUPA
KYUPA

EH HEH HEH
YOU'RE IN A GOOD MOOD
YAWN
WHAT ARE YOU SO HAPPY ABOUT ?
EH-!? AREN'T YOU HAPPY TOO?
BECAUSE OF YOUR TRANS-FORMATION !!
YOUR HAIR TURNED ALL BLACK, AND SILKY ... KYAA-
I TOLD YOU I DON'T REMEMBER ANY OF THAT!!
... BUT, ACTUALLY ... NOW THAT I HAVE THIS COOL POWER
I KIND OF WANT TO FIGHT WITH SOME POWERFULL MONSTERS
TO TRY IT OUT FOR MYSELF

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THIS IS GREAT TIMING
I'M JUST HEADED BACK TO THE DOJO MYSELF
YEAH !!
OF COURSE! AND THAT'S WHY YOU SHOULD GO TO TRAINING!!
!?
BUT WHAT IS IMPORTANT IS "COGNI-ZANCE"
THAT IS COGNI-ZANCE
A SMALL VIEW
A SMALL ANGLE
AND A SMALL CONCI-OUS-NESS CAN'T SEE ANY-THING
NATURE IS THE INDI-VIDUAL
"NATURE" IS "EVERY-THING"
THE "INDI-VIDUAL" IS THE "SELF"

AH?

WHAT ... WHAT'S GOING ON ...
HEY
NO ... THAT IS ME ... !?
WHA ... WHAT'S THE HELL'S THIS!? A GIANT IS LOOKING ...
SOUICHIROU-SAMA?
.....?
SMALL THINGS WON'T UNDER-STAND THE SCALE OF THE SIZE
IF YOUR OPPONENT IS VERY BIG
FLAP FLAP
IN THAT CASE ... YOU SHOULD TAKE A LOOK FROM A DISTANCE
EH WM
SO ... SOUICHIROU-SAMA!?
PAH

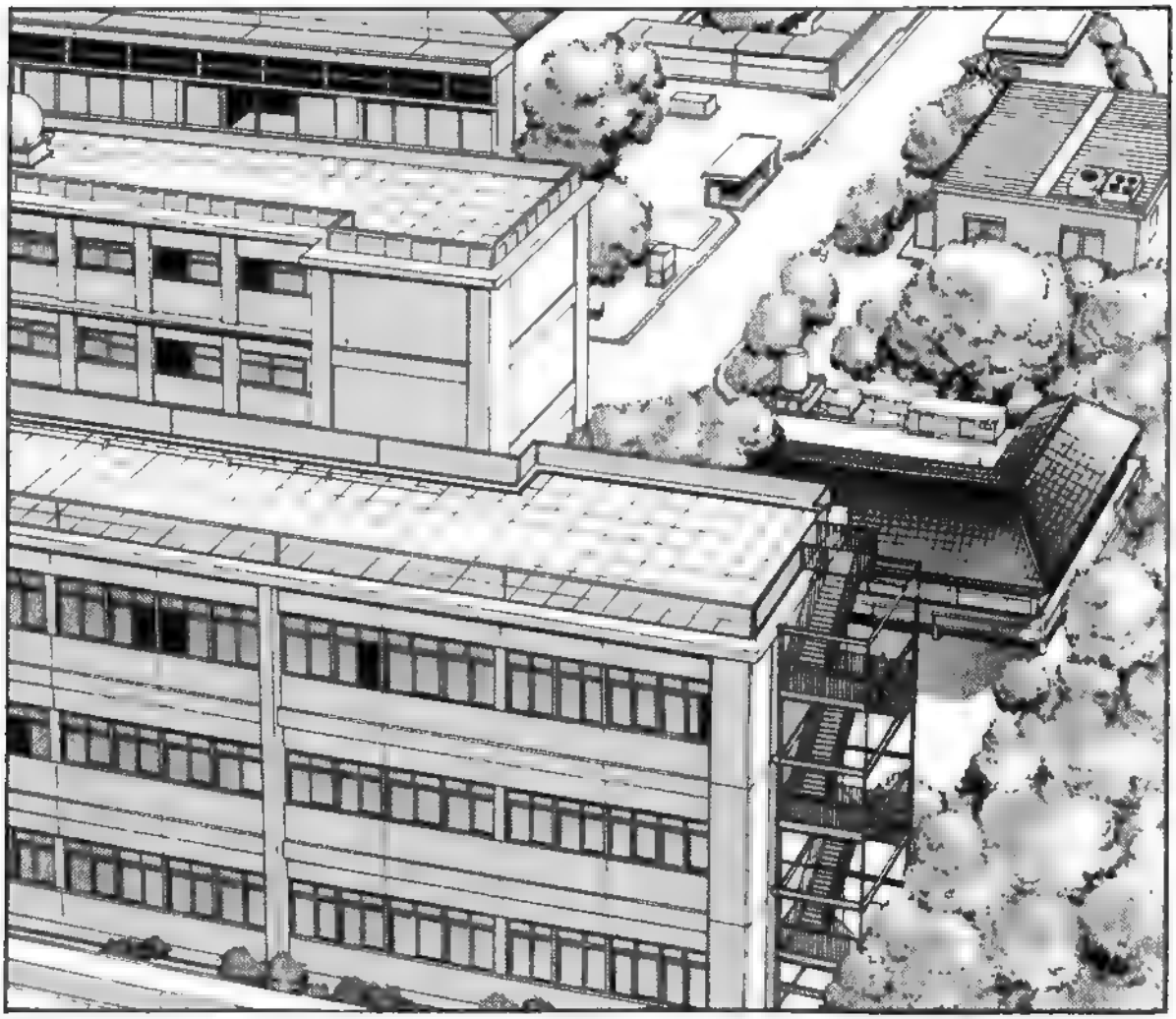
IF YOU VIEW IT FROM A DISTANCE, YOU NOTICE THAT ...
THE LARGE THING IS ACTUALLY NOTHING MORE THAN A SMALL PART OF SOMETHING EVEN LARGER ...

!!
SOU ICHI ROU SAMA
WHA ... WHAT'S WRONG ?
SUU
SKREEE
!!
EVERY-THING IS THE INDIVI-DUAL
AND IF SO
THEN THAT LADY-BUG JUST NOW, AND THE SWALLOW THAT ATE IT, ARE BOTH A PART OF YOU
REMEMBER THIS, SOUICHIROU. THAT "SELF" IS ALSO A PART OF YOU ...
AND, YOUR ENTIRE SELF IS A PART OF THE WORLD

AND THE WORLD IS ALSO A PART OF YOU
THE MASSIVE AMOUNT OF ENERGY IS JUST CHANNELED THROUGH YOUR BODY, NOTHING MORE
THE FLYING DRAGON RACES TOWARDS THE HEAVENS
TRANS-FORMS INTO THE BLACK DRAGON AND SHAKES THE EARTH
THIS IS ALL PRE-CIPITATED BY WHAT "YOU" DECIDE

SFX: GURU GURU GURU
IT'S NOT A PUZZLE !!
NOT GOOD AT PUZZLES LIKE THAT ... !!
SHAKE
SHAKE
... I'M ...
!!
.....
YOU TOO

SFX: PUSU PUSU



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THE NOTICE NOT TO MAKE A MOVE ON THE JYUU-KENBU
SHI
SQUEEK
SHI,
SHI
SQUEEK
...
CERTAINLY, I'VE HEARD ABOUT IT ALSO
BZZ BZZ
3RD IN COMMAND
TAGAMI SHIROU-SAN
BECAUSE HE HASN'T GIVEN A SINGLE THOUGHT TO THE RETURN PATH FROM THE START
... BUT ... I JUST CAN'T LEAVE THEM ALONE. I GUESS I'M JUST AFRAID OF ... THAT "ARROW"
SO ?
HAVE YOU TALKED TO ISUZU-SAN?

AS ... AS ... ONE ... OF THE FEW ... WARRIORS LEFT ... IN THIS ... MODERN AGE
YOU ... SHOULD ALREADY KNOW ...
IT'S A WASTE FOR YOU TO BE ALIVE IN THIS TIME
I KNOW A GOOD PLACE FOR YOU TO WORK IN NIKKO*
TAN
BIN
"WARRIOR" ...
YOU'RE NO WARRIOR
KYUPA
PA
PA
PA
PA
YOU GUYS ARE ... OLD
YOUR PEOPLE
AND YOUR TECH-NIQUES

GOD'S DREAM

TAGAMI FAMILY

SECRET TECHNIQUE

KIDO

GUAAA

I ... I RESPECT ... YOUR WILL ... MORE THAN ... ANY-THING ELSE

PAKIN

THAT IS MY ANSWER !!

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"KAI"

SNAKE BONE LANCE

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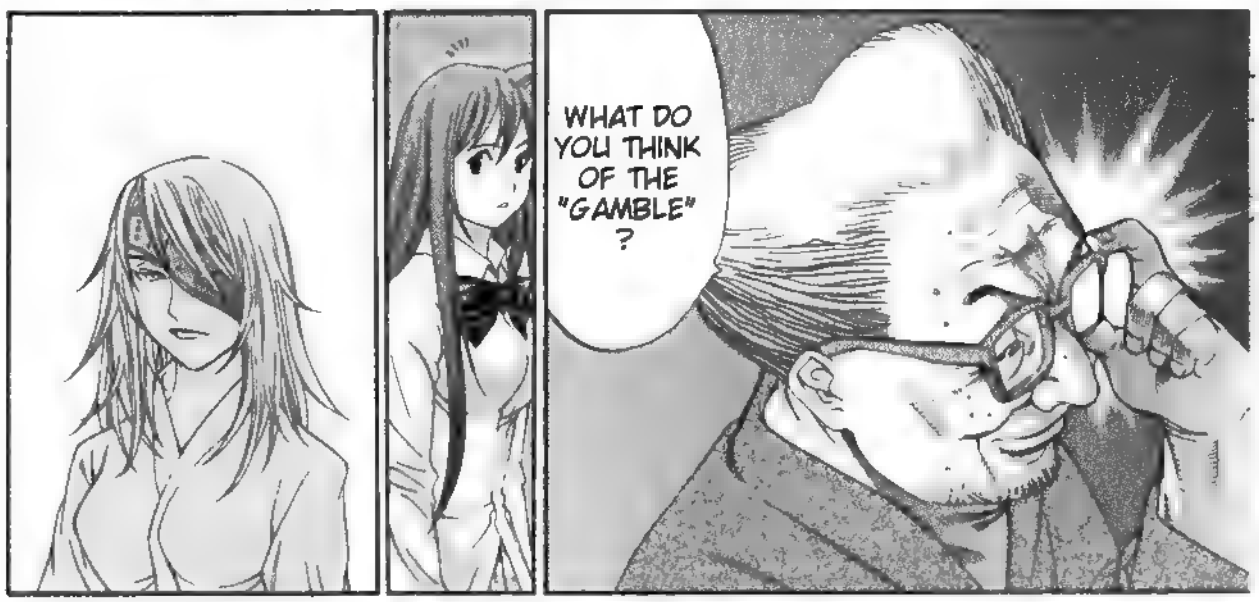
BIKU
DOH
GON
SHYUUUU
!!

YOU GUYS ALL JUST DEPEND ON THE STRENGTH OF MITSUOMI -SAN'S SHIELD AND SPEAR ...
AS LONG AS YOU JUST STAY BY HIS SIDE, YOU'LL BE FINE
BUT
I'M DIFF- ERENT
AN "ARROW"
DOES NOT STOP UNTIL IT PIERCES THROUGH IT'S TARGET
ZAH

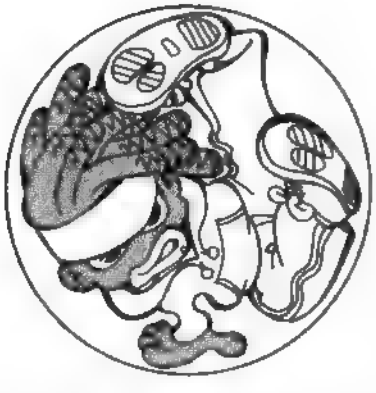
Fuu-
SFX: COMPLETE SILENCE
SHYA
SHYA
RAIDERS
HA !!
SFX. SPIN SPIN SPIN
WHO TOLD YOU TO MIMIC SUCH A DANGEROUS THING !!?
STOMP
STOMP
STOMP
STOMP
I ALREADY TOLD YOU, I CAN'T DO IT!!
WHAT THE HELL IS THAT !?
I TOLD YOU TO OPEN A GATE
Kame
HAAAAAAAAA
BOU

THIS IS NOT GOING VERY WELL ... WELL?
MAKIKO ?
AA !!
BABYLON
BRING CRAP LIKE THIS AGAIN!
GUO
DON'T


WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THE "GAMBLE" ?

AS AN "OMEN"
... BUT
NOW ... SOUICHIROU FINALLY HAS FINALLY COME TO THE POINT WHERE HE KNOWS ABOUT THE EXISTENCE OF THE "DRAGON" ...
BUT REALLY THAT ... IS NOT MUCH YET
... UMU

IT DRAWS AN ARCING HELIX OF GREAT POWER FROM THE HEAVENS DOWN TO THE EARTH
His eyes are extremely red, and even though he only has one body, he has eight heads, and eight tails ..
Moreover, that person, Yamatano Orochi from Koshi (place name) always has blood festering and dripping from him



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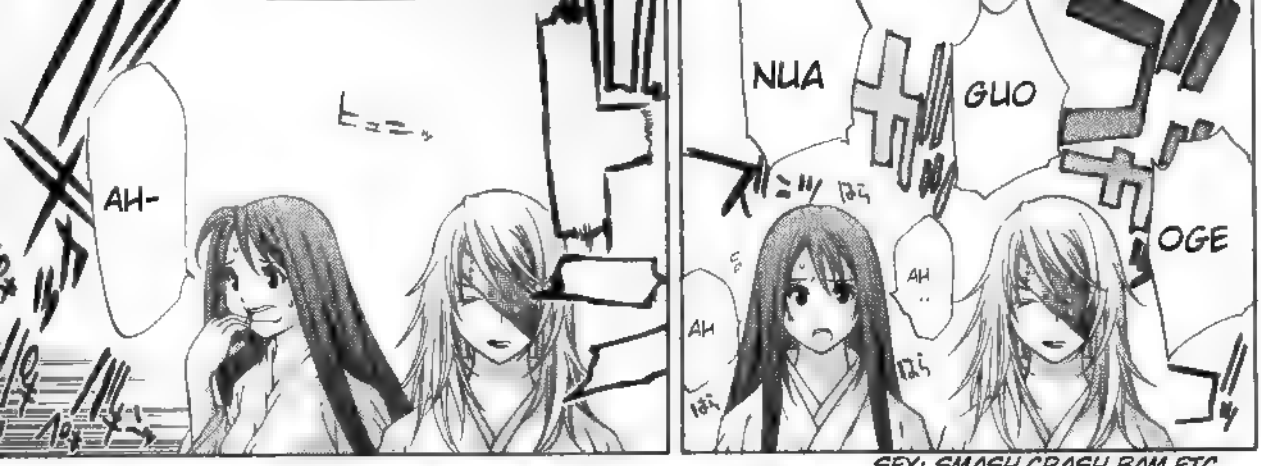
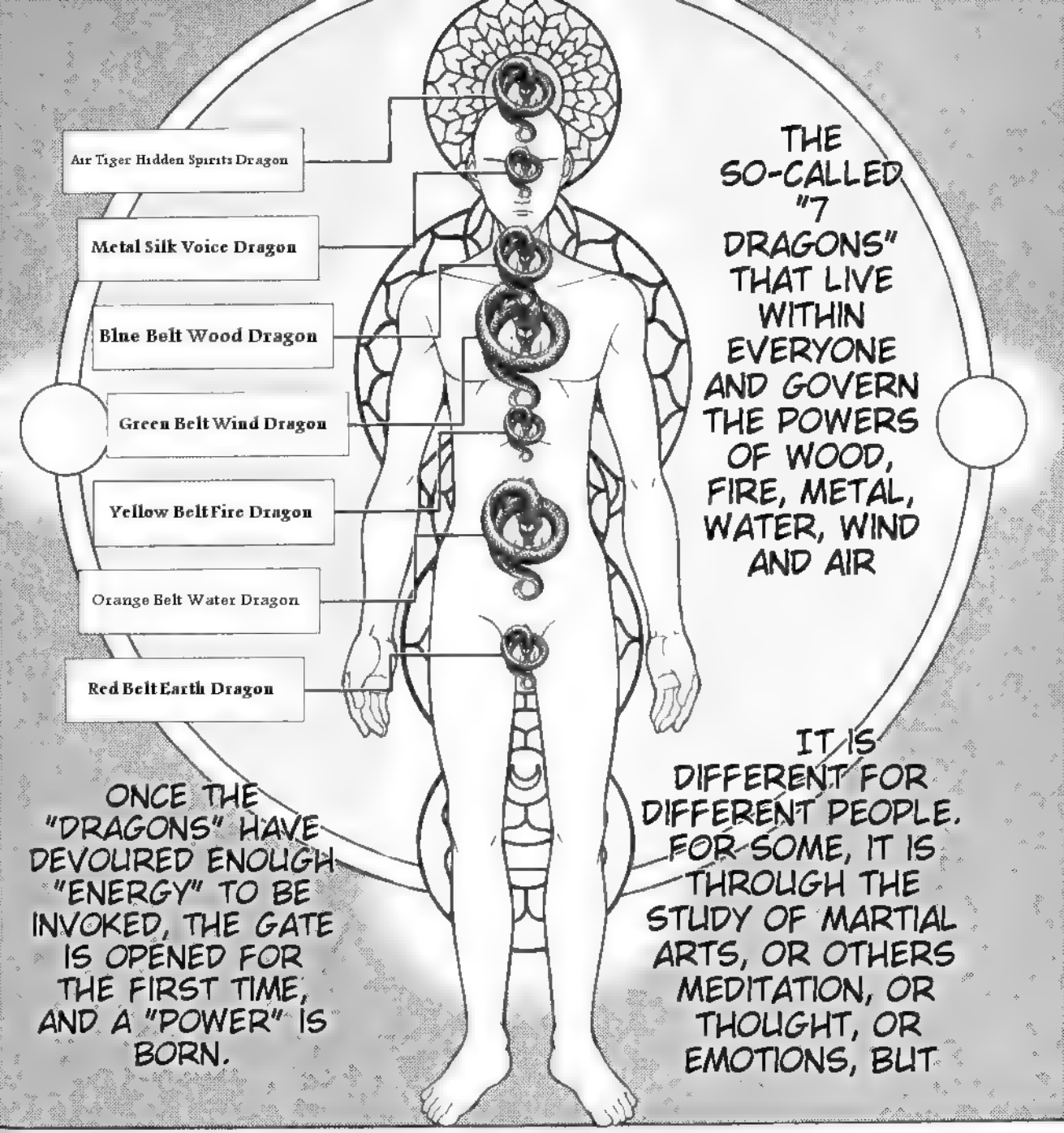
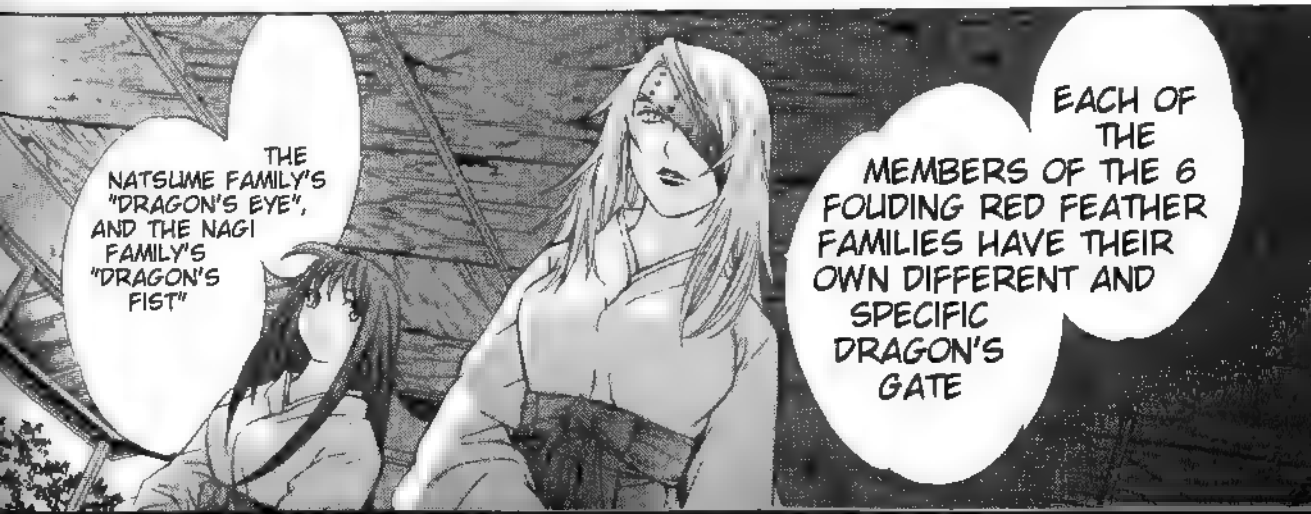
SFX: DO DO DO
WEAK!! PUT YOUR HIPS INTO IT MORE, YOUR HIPS!!
HMPH
PAN!
OWAH
YOUR FOOT-WORK SUCKS
BUA AA AA
DOH!
LIKE THIS !!



SFX: SMASH CRASH BAM ETC.

THE "DRAGON" HAS BEEN "THERE" ALL ALONG
THE POWER OF EVERY-THING IS WITHIN YOU, YOUR POWER RESIDES WITHIN EVERY-THING
EVERY-THING IS THE INDI-VIDUAL. THE INDI-VIDUAL IS EVERY-THING.


Air Tiger Hidden Spirits Dragon
Metal Silk Voice Dragon
Blue Belt Wood Dragon
Green Belt Wind Dragon
Yellow Belt Fire Dragon
Orange Belt Water Dragon
Red Belt Earth Dragon
THE SO-CALLED "7 DRAGONS" THAT LIVE WITHIN EVERYONE AND GOVERN THE POWERS OF WOOD, FIRE, METAL, WATER, WIND AND AIR
ONCE THE "DRAGONS" HAVE DEVOURED ENOUGH "ENERGY" TO BE INVOKED, THE GATE IS OPENED FOR THE FIRST TIME, AND A "POWER" IS BORN.
IT IS DIFFERENT FOR DIFFERENT PEOPLE. FOR SOME, IT IS THROUGH THE STUDY OF MARTIAL ARTS, OR OTHERS MEDITATION, OR THOUGHT, OR EMOTIONS, BUT


THE NATSUME FAMILY'S "DRAGON'S EYE", AND THE NAGI FAMILY'S "DRAGON'S FIST"
EACH OF THE MEMBERS OF THE 6 FOUDING RED FEATHER FAMILIES HAVE THEIR OWN DIFFERENT AND SPECIFIC DRAGON'S GATE

... LIKE THEY DID WITH MY LEFT EYE
... BUT IN THE END, DRAGONS ARE DRAGONS ... YOU NEED TO BE CAREFUL. IF YOU MAKE JUST ONE MISTAKE, THEY WILL NOT SHOW ANY MERCY, AND WILL DEVOUR YOUR BODY

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POU...
LOOKS LIKE I OVER-DID IT A BIT
... NOT GOOD. WE SHOULD JUST LEAVE IT AT THIS FOR TODAY.
HOW IS IT, HOTARU ?
AH
NO, YOU SHOULDN'T MOVE ...
PIKU!!
UMU. I GUESS WE CAN LEAVE THIS UP TO YOU ?
WELL THEN, WE'LL RETIRE ...
EXCUSE ME ... I'LL STAY WITH HIM UNTIL HE REGAINS CONC-IOUS-NESS
IF HIS "GATE" CONTINUES TO STAY SHUT LIKE THIS ...
... EVEN THEN

WHICH OLD MAN ...
IS NEXT ?
FUU
FUU
FUU
PLEASE ... WOULD YOU NOT INTERFERE ?
SORRY ... FOR YELLING
... BUT
QUIT BUGGIN' ME!!
SOU ... SOU-ICHI-ROU-SAMA

ALL RIGHT!! COME ON BRAT!!
YEAH !!
...
HIT
...
BEAT THROUGH MY SKULL UNTIL THE VERY TIP OF MY BRAIN GOES NUMB ...
I COULD HEAR MY BONES CREAKING, THE SOUND OF MY GUTS NEARLY GETTING PULVERIZED
BY HIT

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AMAZING !!

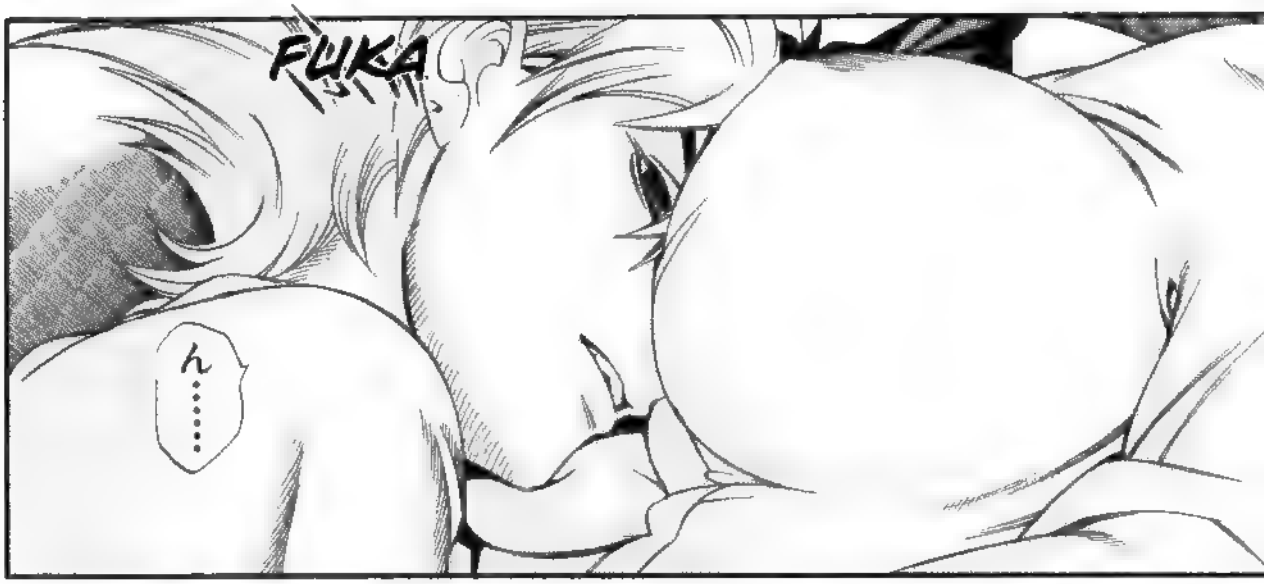
I DON'T REALLY KNOW WHY, BUT... ANYWAY, IT'S AMAZING!!
HIT... BY HIT!!

MY DIAGNOSIS WAS INCORRECT ... ?
... MAYBE ...

I THOUGHT THAT IT WAS ESSENTIAL THAT WE HAD THE "DEMON EXORCIST" AS OUR TRUMP CARD, BUT ...
THERE IS JUST ONE MONTH

JYAKA
WHEN I RECEIVE A PUNCH ...
DON
DAMU
I RETURN THE PUNCH !!
... NUH

PA
I AM
I AM ...!!
KAMA
OO
... HE ...



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YOU ARE A PART OF THE WORLD
AND THE WORLD IS A PART OF YOU
IF I JUST STRETCH OUT MY ARM A BIT... I FEEL LIKE I COULD PUNCH THE MOON...

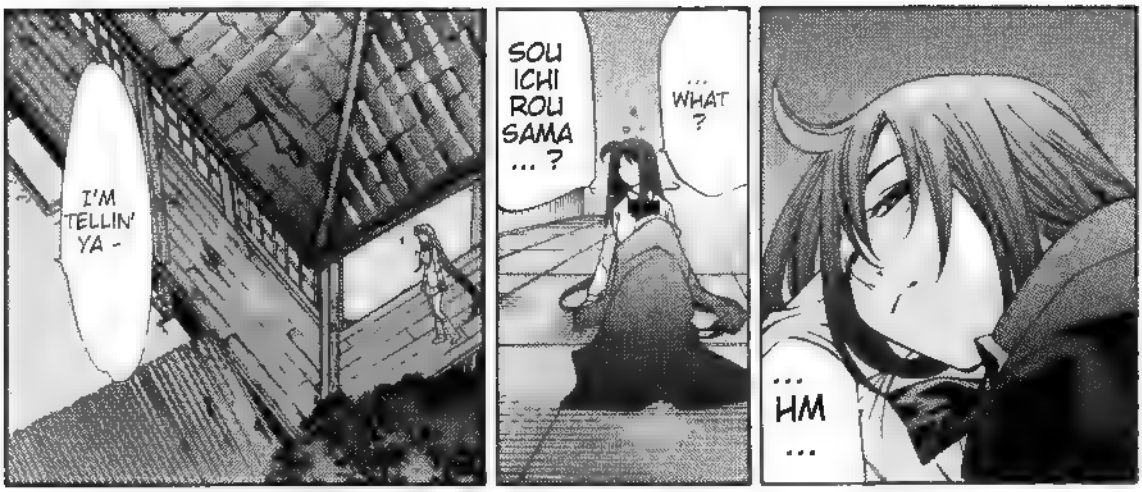
SFX: SUTAMAMA

.....

SFX: KI KI KI

DAMAN

SFX: GYUU GYUU
SFX: GIRU
WHISTLE
I THINK ... SOMETHING GOT THROWN OUT OVER THERE EARLIER ...
IS THIS YOURS ?


I'M TELLIN' YA -
SOU ICHI ROU SAMA ... ?
... WHAT ?
... HM ...

ANYONE THAT'S A FAN WOULD KNOW - THIS IS BATMAN'S BELT
DON'T YOU TRY TO TAKE MY PRECIOUS TREASURE
I DON'T CARE IF YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT THE AMAZON, OR THE MERMAN, OR BATMAN, THEY'RE ALL JUST GROSS CREATURES !?
OF COURSE KAMEN KAMEN RIDER IS THE FIRST, AND THE BEST!

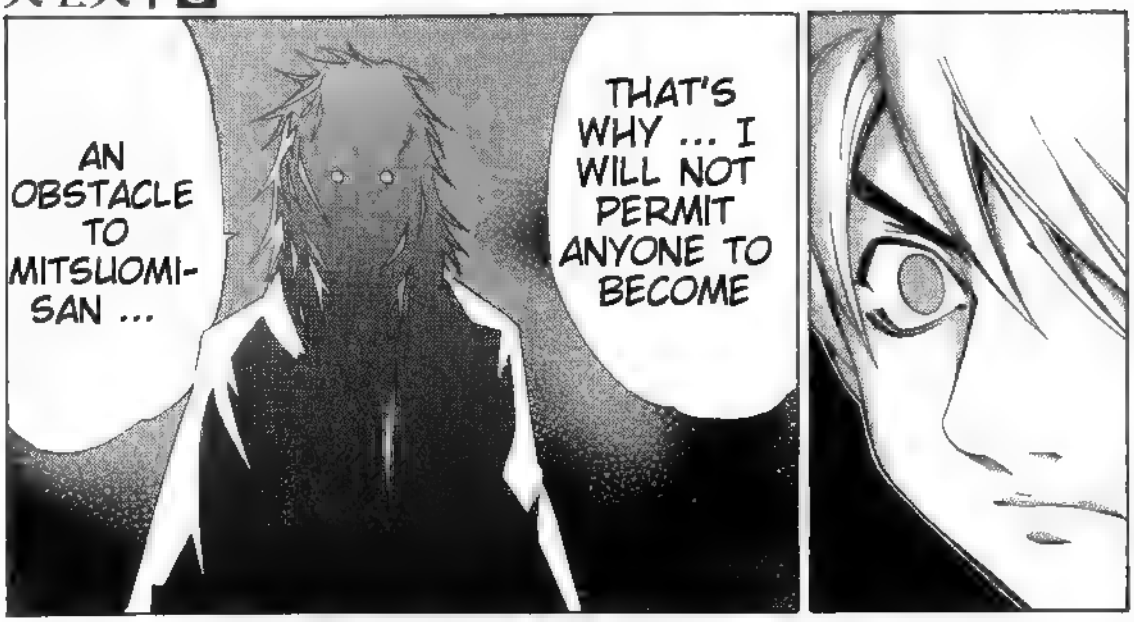
IT LOOKS LIKE HIS RELATIVES CAME TO VISIT FOR FUN
YEAH, HIS POP'S HERE - THE GUY LENT US THE DOJO. THE ONE WITH THE MOHAWK.

IS THAT SO ...
AH ...

SOUICHIROU-SAMA ...
HEY. YOU WOKE UP?
... WHO ... ?
YOU DON'T KNOW? THIS IS ISHIYUMI, FROM MY CLASS

I USED TO COLLECT KAMEN RIDER CARDS TOO
PETAN
WE WERE POOR, SO I'D CHASE THE LOCAL KIDS AND BEAT 'EM UP ...
THAT'S JUST FLAT-OUT ROBBERY ...
LATELY, THE RIDERS REALLY HAVEN'T BEEN AS GOOD
KUU-
THE COSTUME DESIGN HAS BEEN PRETTY CRAZY TOO
BUT THEY'RE PRETTY POPULAR
BUT MAN, IT'S PRETTY STRANGE TO MEET SOMEONE WITH SUCH SIMILAR TASTES AT A PLACE LIKE THIS
HA HA ...
ANY-WAY
THERE IS ONE THING THAT I WANTED TO ASK YOU ...
OH ?

WHO ARE YOU FIGHTING FOR?
HM ... AH ... THIS CONVERSATION AGAIN?
I AM FIGHTING FOR THE SAKE OF MITSUOMI-SAN
HE IS SOMEONE THAT FOR THE SAKE OF THIS SCHOOL ... AND THE ENTIRE MARTIAL ARTS WORLD, MUST NOT BE ALLOWED TO FAIL


AN OBSTACLE TO MITSUOMI-SAN ...
THAT'S WHY ... I WILL NOT PERMIT ANYONE TO BECOME

THAT I HAD MADE A NEW FRIEND IN MY CLASS
AND I THOUGHT FOR THE FIRST TIME...

EVERY DAY
I'LL COME AND VISIT YOU
... OH YOU STILL CAN
AS LONG AS YOU FEEL LIKE LIVING TO REST OF YOUR LIFE IN BED
PAKIN

BOKYUN

CRASH
CRASH
CRASH
KYA-
EH ... ?
BIKU!
SFX: ZAHN
SFX: DORI
SFX: ZAH ZAH ZAMA
WHA ... SO ... SOUICHIROU-SAMA ...!?
SOUICHIROU-SAMA!?

ZAMA

HE'S GOT RANGE WEAPONS ...

I'LL GET HIM EVEN IF I DIE!

HE'LL KILL ME AT RANGE!!

CH!!

GOH
BAM
GAH
SH!!
GYUN
UH
SFX:
SFX: BUO
CHYUN
!!

DOSHI
uu
PAKI

I GOT HIM !!
.....
GAHUNG
MY FIST MOVES BEFORE I CAN EVEN THINK ABOUT IT
MY BODY'S MOVING ON ITS OWN!!
I HAVEN'T FELT SUCH SATIS-FACTION IN THESE PAST 10 OF INACTIVITY ...
NUH ...
GUA !!
THE OLD MEN HAVE BEEN MAKING ME STRONGER !!
THERE'S NO MISTAKING IT... HIT BY HIT...
SHI !!
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SOUICHIROU-SAMA!!
GYUN
SORRY BUT, COULD YOU DUCK JUST A BIT? THE "DRAGON'S EYE" IS ALSO ONE OF MY "TARGETS"
I WON'T BE DEFEATED

SHE ... SHE DOESN'T REALIZE WHAT IS GOING ON OVER HERE!!

The source of it all, and the first Dragon
The "Earth" Gate

i consume your body, and i awaken you

GAPPO
BAN
GOGAKAN
SOUICHIROU-SAMA!!
ZAHN
THE POWER OF LIGHTNING ... HIS TRUE NATURE FINALLY COMES OUT

SFX: ZAH ZAH ZAH ZAH
HE CAN'T EVEN USE THE SPECIAL "LIGHTNING STRIKE" POWER WHERE THERE ISN'T ANY GROUND
THE RED DRAGON'S POWER IS THE POWER OF EARTH.
HE FOLLOWED AFTER ME ... IT'S LIKE HE'S A COMPLETE NEWBIE WHEN IT COMES TO HIS "POWER" ... DOESN'T HE KNOW ANYTHING?
I'M RELIEVED
IT LIKE WHEN YOU TEASE A WEAK LOSER - THERE'S JUST NO TENSION

THERE ARE NO "BULLETS" IN THEM ... !!
HIS WOUNDS ARE THIS LARGE, BUT ...

... WHAT IS THIS ...

I WAS ... UTTERLY DEFEATED ... IT'S JUST ... LIKE ... THEY SAY ...
SO ... SOR ... RY ... ISU ... ZU

.....「F」

HONESTLY ... I THOUGHT "THEY" WERE MERE WINDOW DRESSING
BUT THAT OPINION HAS BEEN ASSULTED
VICE PRESI-DENT ...
WHO IS THIS "F" ?
F.....!
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THE 6TH LETTER OF THE ALPHABET, "F"
... THE "F" STANDS FOR THE "FEATHERS" IN THE TAKAYANAGI FAMILY CREST'S FLYING PHOENIX
SFX: GI GI GI GI
THE 6 MEMBERS OF THE TAKAYANAGI FLYING PHOENIX
「F」!!
MITSUOMI-SAN'S NEW WINGS

FORGED NEEDLE ATTACK, HUH ...

AT THIS DISTANCE, WE'LL BOTH BE KILLED

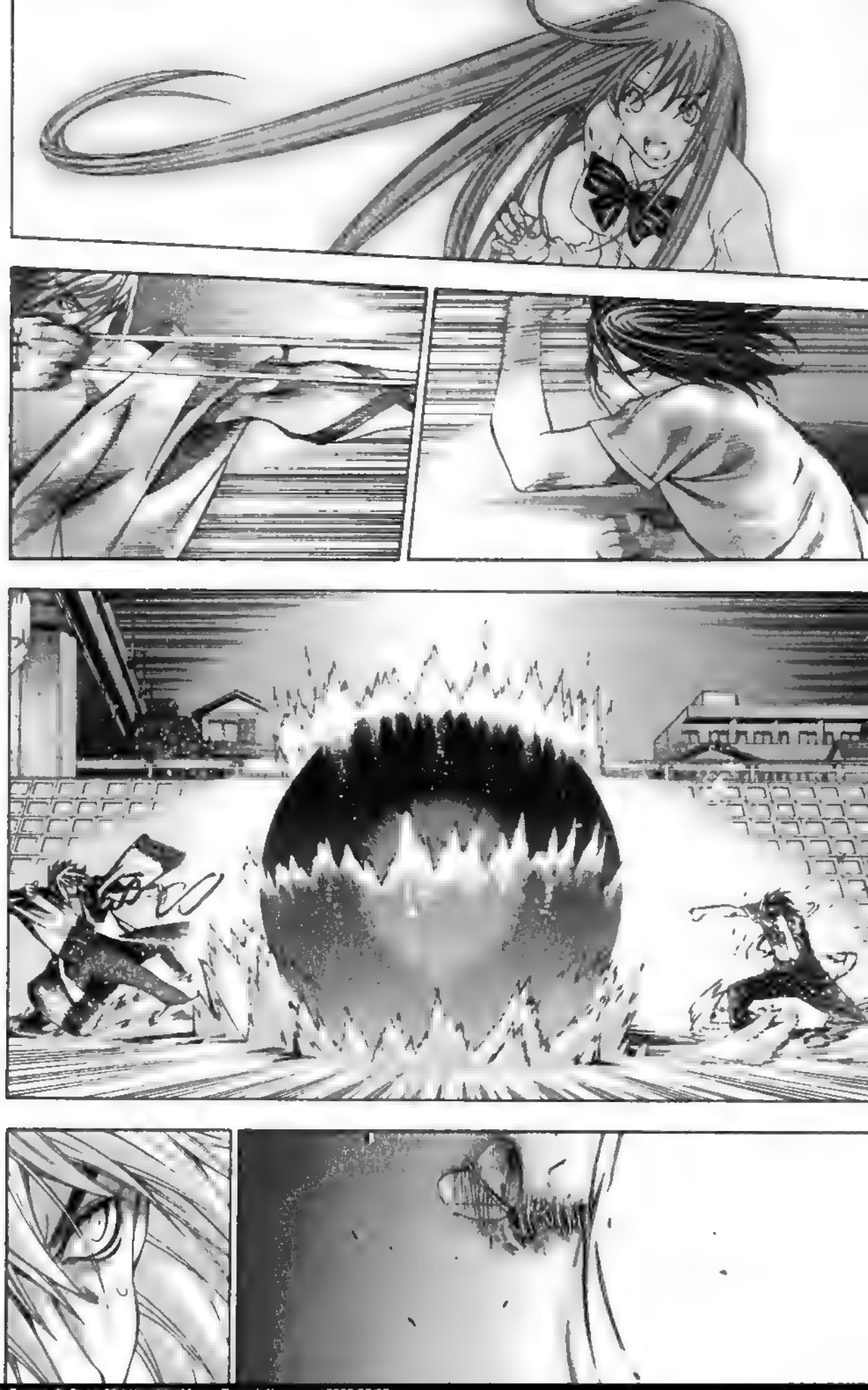
WELL, COME ON!!

GAKIN

ISHIYUMI TETSUSEN !!

A MEMBER OF "F" ...

CURRENT LEADER OF THE ISHIYUMI CLAN



SFX: GON
2 CONSECUTIVE FORGED NEEDLE ATTACKS ... !!
ZAMA
NO ... NO WAY
DOKA

BAKIN
OOO
NO WAY !
BUT IT WAS A DIRECT HIT ... !!
I DON'T KNOW IF YOU MEANT TO CORNER ME HERE ... BUT YOU'VE GOT IT BACK-WARDS
ZAMA
I ENTICED YOU TO BRING THE FIGHT TO ME HERE
IN THIS FORM, I AM ARMOURED, LIKE SO-CALLED "IMPACT DISPERSION"
LIKE THE UNIQUE RUBBER USED BY NATO'S LAND MINE CLEARING UNITS

THIS ISN'T A FIGHT
IT'S A WAR

I HAVE TRAINED FOR A RUBBER-LIKE STRENGTH AND FLEXIBILITY IN MY BACK, AND ALL OVER MY BODY
AND MY SPECIAL RUBBER REPULSION POWER
SFX: GYU GYU
I'VE TRAINED MYSELF TO USE MY "ENERGY" TO CREATE WATER BULLETS, HARD AS STEEL
SFX: KYUN
WE COULD HAVE BECOME GOOD FRIENDS
WHAT A SHAME. IN OTHER CIRCUM-STANCES
MY "POWER" IS
WATER ENERGY !!

SFX: DOOO
弯射術
ISHIYUMI STYLE ARCHERY
騰羅流連撃(改)
TOURA RYUU SEIRENGEKI (KOU)

ZAA
HAA
HAA
ZAH ZAH ZAH ZAH ZAH

I'VE ALREADY ENTERED THE FIGHT ... SOUICHIROU-SAMA CAN'T FIGHT ANY MORE!
... ISHI-YUMI-KUN

HE CONCENTRATES ON THOSE WATER BULLETS, AND THEN SLINGS THEM OUT, FOCUSING HIS ENERGY IN HIS HAND ...
NATSUME-SAN ... YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE SO CONCERNED; I'LL FIGHT WITH YOU ALL YOU WANT AFTER THIS

THIS ISN'T A FIGHT !!
WEREN'T YOU LISTENING ?

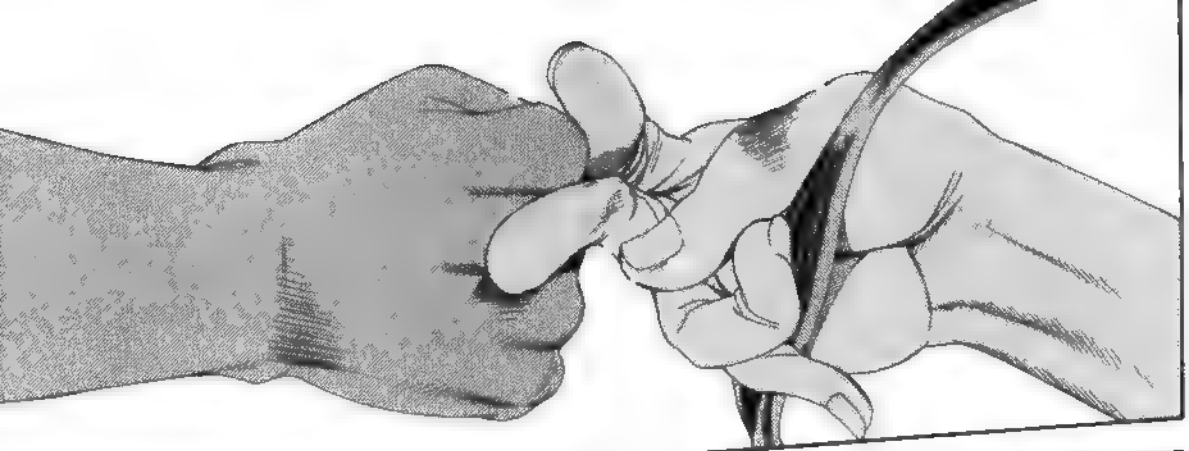
ZAHN
DON
I THOUGHT HE WAS REALLY HAVING HIS HANDS AROUND A LOT BEFORE, BUT ...I HAD NO IDEA THAT HE WAS SNIPING AT US...!!
THIS IS TERRIBLE.....
WEREN'T YOU JUST TALKING AS IF YOU WERE FRIENDS JUST BEFORE?
ONE MORE TIME ...
I WILL ONLY SAY THIS
IF ONLY I COULD USE THE DRAGON'S EYE...!!
AT A TIME LIKE THIS ... IF ONLY I COULD USE MY "POWER" ...
THIS IS ...
BUT THIS IS

AYA
GET OUTTA THE WAY
I'M GOING TO TAKE HIM 1 ON 1

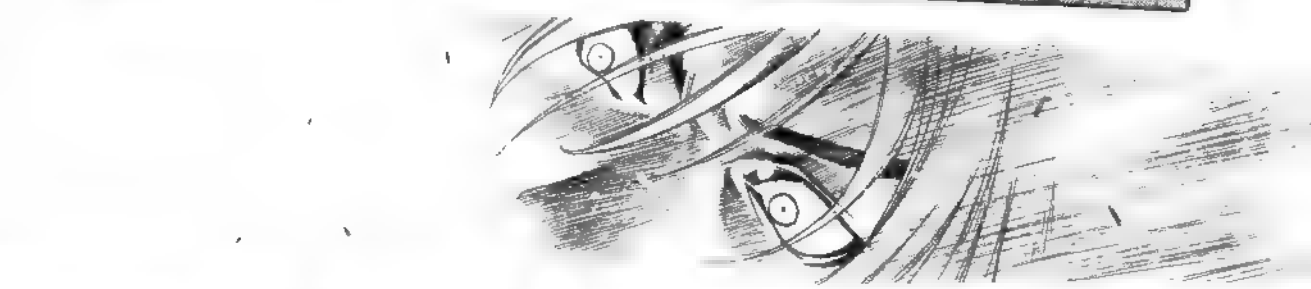
THEY ARE RELATED ...
HE STILL HAS CONTROL OF HIS CONCIOUS-NESS
WITH THE DRAGON'S GATE OPEN LIKE THAT
龍門が開いて...

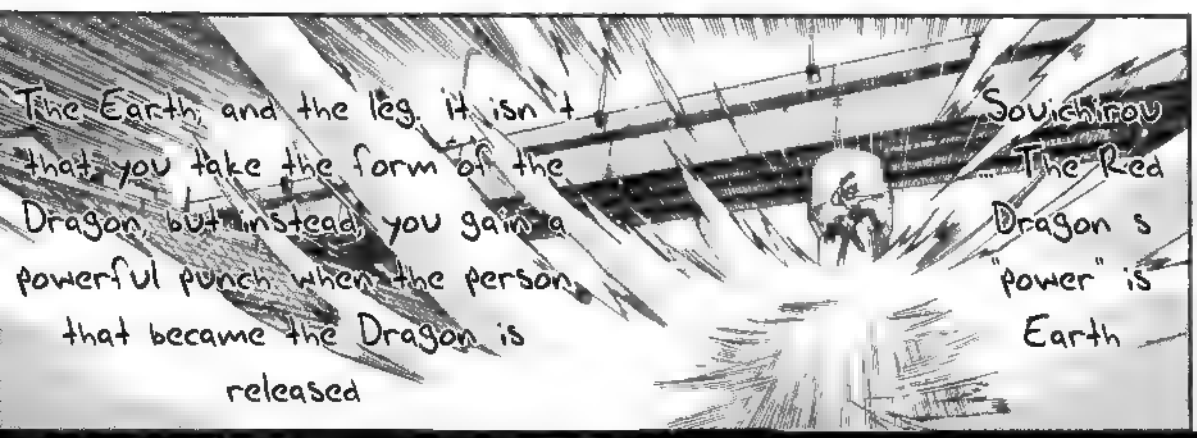
BORA
GODON
HE ... SENT ALL THE WATER FLYING!?
IN OTHER WORDS, THE EARTH IS THE "LEG"
THE FIRST GATE, THE RED DRAGON, IS "EARTH"
SFX: BAKIN
WHILE THE LEG IS IN CONTACT WITH THE GROUND
THAT POWER WILL AUTOMATICALLY BE BROUGHT INTO PLAY

DON
GOSU
JYUN
STEAMY
...
THE "BULLETS" ARE



Souichirou
... Listen to
me ...




Souichirou
... The Red
Dragon's
"power" is
Earth
The Earth, and the leg. It isn't
that you take the form of the
Dragon, but instead, you gain a
powerful punch when the person
that became the Dragon is
released

RED BELT
DRAGON
TECHNIQUE

THUNDEROUS
LIGHTNING
ARROW
RAPID STRIKE

GAA !!
SFX: SNAP CRACK CRACK
HE BROKE ... 4 OR 5 ... RIBS ...
BAM
HE WON ...
But that does not mean that you have the strength necessary to endure the physical and mental burden that it places upon you
The Nagi "Blood" has forced the Dragon's Gate half-way open

BORA
SFX: RIP RIP RIP
GUAA
For the meaning of "power"
You must search for an answer for yourself

And what
it means
to fight

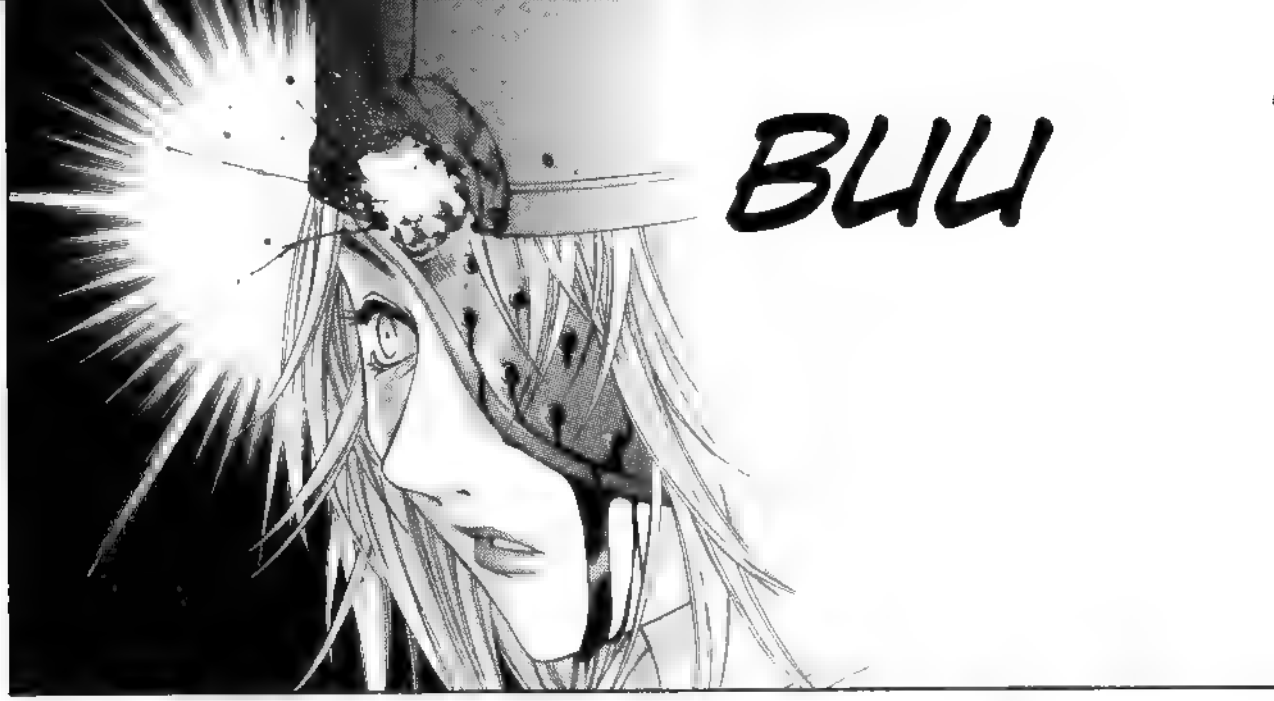
GAH!!
GAH!!
GAH!!
GAH!!
For what reason?
What are you trying to obtain?
For whom
...

PTOU

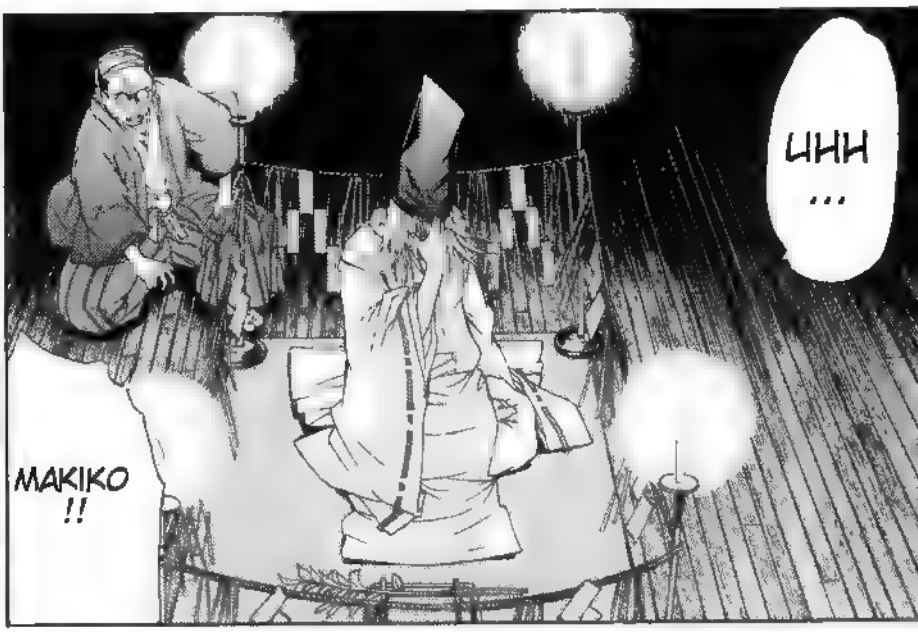
Where

are you trying to go ...

JYUOO

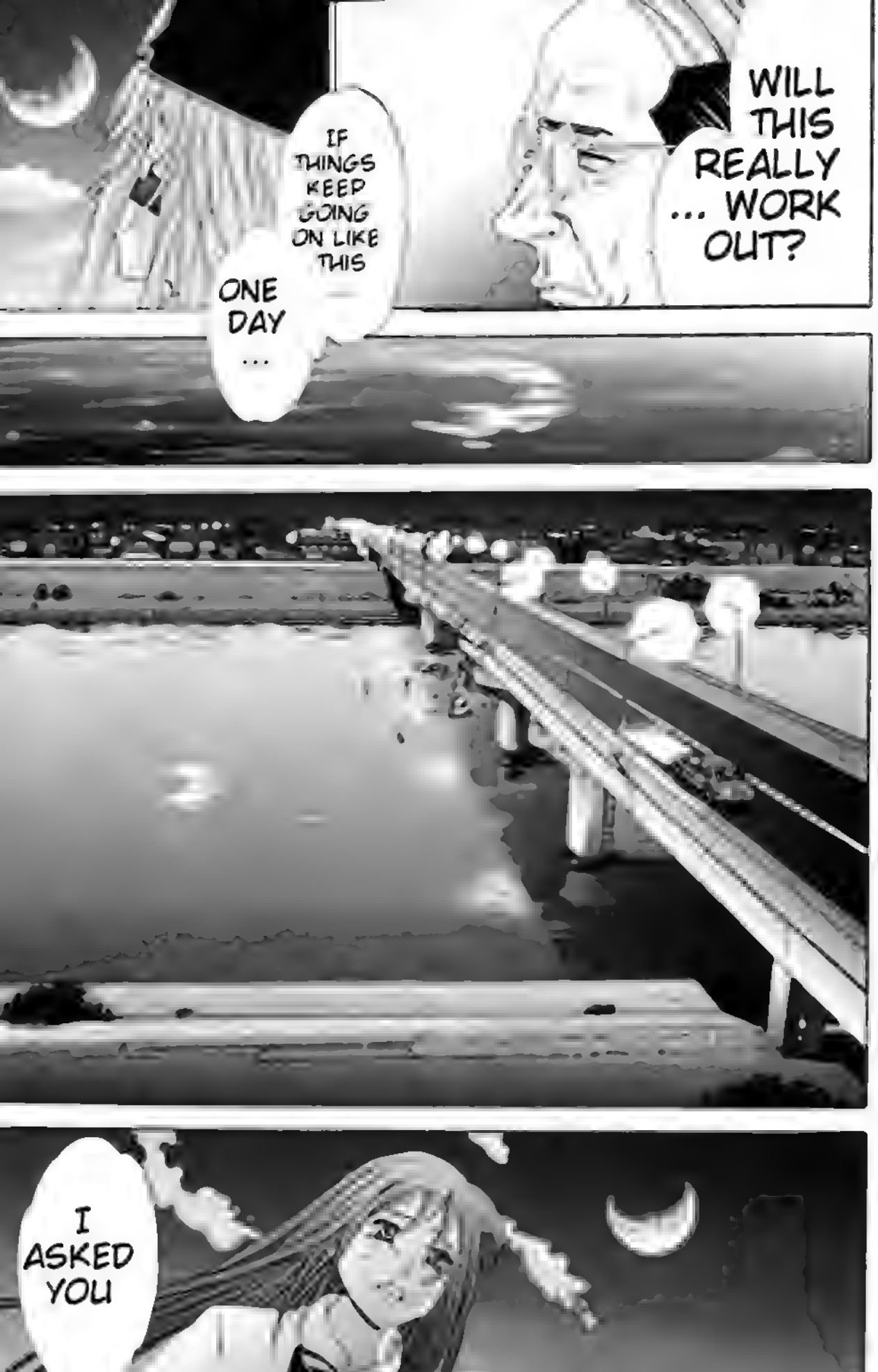

BUU

THE DRAGON DEMON WAS JUST GETTING A HOLD OF HIS LEFT LEG ...


UHH ...
MAKIKO !!

... WHAT ABOUT THE BRAT ?

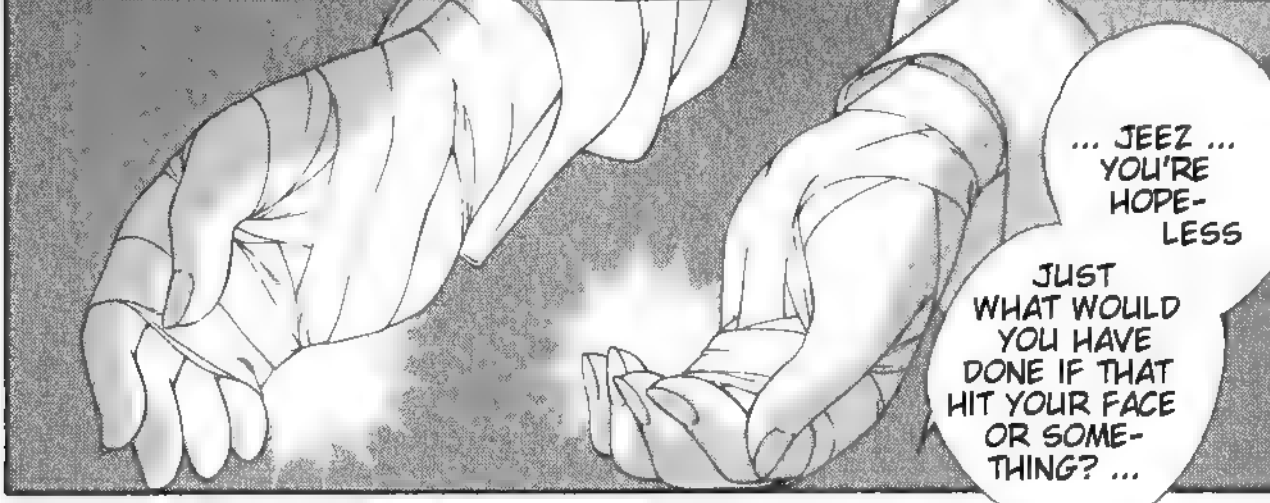
I'M ... OK
I'VE JUST ... BEEN DOING A BIT TOO MUCH "WATCHING"


WILL THIS REALLY ... WORK OUT?
IF THINGS KEEP GOING ON LIKE THIS
ONE DAY ...
I ASKED YOU

WHO YOU FIGHT FOR
NEVER ANSWERED
YOU
THAT'S THE DIFFER-ENCE

FIGHT::55
MY BODY JUST MOVES!! I'M ABLE TO HOLD MY OWN AGAINST A STRONG GUY LIKE THIS ...
STRONG ... !!
AMAZING
I'VE BECOME ...
STRONG ...

I'll devour your flesh and be born myself


... JEEZ ... YOU'RE HOPE-LESS
JUST WHAT WOULD YOU HAVE DONE IF THAT HIT YOUR FACE OR SOME-THING? ...

WELL, THE ONLY THING MY "DRAGON'S PALM" CAN'T CURE IS STUPIDITY AND ATHLETE'S FOOT
IF HE EVER GETS A WOUND THAT I CAN'T HEAL, THEN ALL THAT IS LEFT IS HIS FATED DEATH

THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP, HOTARU-DONO
HEY !!
AREN'T YOU GOING TO THANK HER ALSO, AYA!!
IF YOU GIVE IT A WEEK, YOU SHOULD EVEN BE ABLE TO USE A SWORD AGAIN

HOW IS SOUICHIROU-SAMA ...
... UM ...

SE ... SENSEI, PLEASE HOLD HIM DOWN !!
CALM DOWN !!
DAMMIT YOU ...
SFX: UGAAAAA

GAH
GOH
UWAH

THAT'S ENOUGH ...!!
THAT'S ENOUGH SOUI-CHIROU-SAMA

OVER ALREADY ...!!
IT'S

KOH
REMEBER NOW ...
I ...
HIS LAST WORDS
THEY CAME RESOUNDING TO ME, A FAINT RINGING IN MY EARS

THAT'S ... THAT'S RIGHT ...
IN A TRUE FIGHT, THERE IS NO VALUE IN GETTING "SECOND PLACE"
BUT THE DIFFERENCE IN THAT SHEET OF PAPER IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH
THE DIFFERENCE IN THE FIGHT ...
MIGHT HAVE ONLY BEEN PAPER-THIN
I
ooo
YOU ARE AS GOOD AS A CORPSE
RIGHT NOW

I MEAN, HE WAS HURT PRETTY BAD ...
ARE YOU REALLY SURE WE SHOULDN'T GO?
OOF ...
GAH
GOH
DOH
DOH
ZUN
WE'RE IN THE MIDDLE OF TRAINING, SENPAI
THE JOLLY GOD

KYU
... BUT HE'S YOUR FRIEND
UNFOR-TUNATELY, I
DON'T EVEN HAVE A SECOND TO SPARE TO GO VISIT AND CHEER UP SOME LOSER
GAH
YO !!
.....
EVEN MORE SO
DRINK UP. YOU DON'T WANT TO GET DEHYDRATED
!!
... AND SO I HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO KEEP ON RUNNING
RIGHT NOW, HE'S JUST RUNNING INSANELY FAST, LEAVING ME IN HIS DUST

I DON'T REALLY THINK THAT THERE IS THAT MUCH OF A GAP BETWEEN YOU AND NAGI
RATHER, I THINK THAT IF YOU FIGHT WITHOUT USING ANY "POWER" JUST YOUR NATURAL STRENGTH, YOUR ATTACKS ARE SCARY
ALL OF THOSE SPIRIT BASED TECHNIQUES ARE EASY TO PREDICT AND ALLOW MANY OPENINGS
.....
SFX: REEE REEE
BOB
LET'S GO FOR A RUN
IT'S A NICE NIGHT TONIGHT

GOING AS FAR AS TO IGNORE MITSUOMI-SAN, AND STRIKE OUT ON YOUR OWN
AT THE LEAST, I'VE COME HERE PREPARED TO TAKE A STAB AT YOU AND GIVE THE FINISHING BLOW

... SOME-ONE
WANTS TO KEEP ME FROM TALKING

NATSUME AYA TOOK ON THE FORM OF A FIERCE GOD, AND OPPOSED ME
... JUST JOKING. THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE.
PLEASE "TEASE" ME SOME MORE ... COME ON, I'M SERIOUSLY WOUNDED
.....

AND ... MORE IMPORTANTLY ... DO ... DON'T YOU ...
UNDER ... STAND THE SERIOUS ... NESS OF THIS ... SITUATION ... ?
OH HO HO HO
HAH!! IT'S LIKE HE'S SHOCKED TO HEAR THE NAME "F"!!
AH - IT'S TOO MUCH
... WHAT VICTORY ARE YOU SO ELATED ABOUT, ISUZU ...

HE'S THE ONLY ONE BESIDES MITSUOMI-SAN THAT HAS BEEN WORRIED ABOUT THE "UNCERTAIN ELEMENT" BEING ACTUALIZED WHICH REPRESENTS THE ABSOLUTE MOST THREATENING FORM TO THE ENFORCEMENT GROUP.

THAT ISHIYUMI WOULD FIGHT HARD ENOUGH TO TAKE OUT 9TH-RANKED TAGAMI WITHOUT ANY TROUBLE ... IT'S LIKE HE'S A COMPLETELY DIFFERENT PERSON FROM THE WHEN HE FOUGHT RYUZAKI AND SAGARA

THE ONLY IMPORTANT MEMBERS OF THE ENFORCEMENT GROUP THAT OPPOSE US NOW ARE THAT IDIOT TRANSVESTITE KAGURAZAKA AND MAYBE OUR ALLY, MAYBE OUR ENEMY, TAWARA
... IN ALL HONESTY ... OUR FIRST OFFICER, SAKON, AND SECOND OFFICER DATE ... JUST AREN'T AS STRONG ...
WE MIGHT NOT ...
WIN THE ...
... NEXT ELECTION TOURNAMENT ...

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THAT BROKEN BONE SHOULD HAVE TAKEN 3 MONTHS O HEAL
GARA...
KOK!
GOOD AS NEW, AS ALWAYS
KOK!
ZUU
THE DRAGON'S PALM!!
RIGHT HERE ... !!
. . THEY WERE HERE THE WHOLE TIME
NO!! THE DOOR IS STILL CLOSED !!
I DIDN'T NOTICE ANYONE COME IN ...
SFX: ZOH
NONE OF YOU FROM THE
ENFORCE-MENT GROUP WILL FIGHT IN THE ELECTION TOURNA-MENT
YURA

THAT'S OUR JOB

IT'S JUST LIKE THAT TIME ... 2 YEARS AGO ... WHEN WE CONFRONTED SHIN-SAN
... THERE'S ENOUGH PRESSURE ON MY SPINE FOR IT TO FREEZE OVER ...
THAT IS ...
.....
"F" "...
HM ?
GO EASY ON HIM ?
WHY'D YA
SFX: GOKI
... FOR INSIGHT
... EVEN IF HE IS A DEMON EXORCIST, JUST BASED ON HIS "POWER" HE'S A COMPLETE AMATEUR. HE'S NO MATCH FOR YOU
IT'S NOT LIKE YOU AT ALL, TO BE SO CIRC-UITOUS
SFX: KOKI KOKI

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SFX: BING BOING BOING

I LIMITED MY MUSCULAR MOTION USING RETRICTOR RODS I BURIED IN MY BODY USING MANIPULATION TECHNIQUES
A BIT LIKE THOSE PLASTIC CASTS USED FOR TRAINING IN BIG LEAUGE BASEBALL I GUESS
... I WAS THINKING OF POPPING THEM OUT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE FIGHT, BUT ...

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THUD
GAKU
.....
BIKI
BIKI

EVEN AFTER ENTERING TOUDOU, HE HASN'T LOST TO ANYONE
... SOUICHIROU-SAMA
SAID

AYA!! WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
WE'VE GOT TO GO
UH ... YEAH

THE BRAT FOUGHT WELL
... EVEN TAGAMI-DONO SAID ...
A MONTH AGO, IT WOULDN'T HAVE EVEN BEEN A CONTEST

LET'S JUST LEAVE HIM ALONE FOR A LITTLE WHILE

YOU'RE PRETTY SNEAKY
YOU BRING US HERE
... DAMN MAN, JUST WHEN I WAS STARTING TO WONDER WHERE THE HELL WE'RE RUNNING ...
SFX: ZAH ZAH ZAH
BOB
DID YOU NOTICE ANYTHING ABOUT THOSE CARS STOPPED OVER THERE ?
ISN'T THIS THE HOSPITAL THAT SOUICHIROU WAS ADMITTED INTO ... ?
AH !?
IT'S NOT REALLY STRANGE OR ANYTHING. THIS HOSPITAL IS CONTROLLED BY THE KUZUNOHA DOCTORS FROM THE TAKAYANAGI FAMILY. WHEN TOUDOU STUDENTS ARE INJURED, THEY ARE USUALLY BROUGHT HERE.
THEY'RE CARS FOR TAKAYANAGI'S SERVANTS
THEY'RE PRETTY NICE CARS FOR AMBU-LANCES

... IN OTHER WORDS, HE'S RIGHT IN THE MIDDLE OF HOSTILE TERRITORY
AS LONG AS HE IS HOSPIT-ALIZED
HE CAN'T RELAX FOR EVEN A SECOND

HEY BOB ...
I
HAVE NEVER BEATEN MY BROTHER ... NOT EVEN ONCE

I'VE LOST ... AND KEPT ON LOSING. AND FINALLY, I'VE COME TO THINK
JUST WAS IS "STRENGTH"? IF YOU THINK YOU UNDERSTAND IT SO EASILY, YOU REALLY HAVEN'T STRUGGLED ...

AND SO I KEEP ON FIGHTING
...BECAUSE I THINK
THERE HAS GOT TO BE SOME-THING IN THE FUTURE

THERE IS A SINGLE PERSON ANYWHERE THAT IS STRONG ENOUGH TO FIND IT ON THEIR OWN ...
BUT I DON'T THINK THAT

THUD
BIKU
THUMP
SFX: THUMP THUMP

SFX: THUD CRUNCH
WHAT THE HELL YOU DOIN'!?
SWISH
HOA
GOH
SFX: THUNK THUNK THUNK
... DAMN!! NOW I'M REALLY PISSED OFF
WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU DOING, JUST SITTING AROUND SLEEPING WITH THAT SERIOUS LOOK ON YOUR FACE!!
WHY ARE YOU TRYING TO ACT ALL INTELLIGENT, WHEN YOU KNOW YOU DON'T HAVE ANY BRAINS

DAN
IF YOU JUST SIT AROUND ALL UNCONCERNED, I'LL PASS YOU UP, MAN!?
SENPAI !!
TOH
SHI !!
JI-A

SFX: GOGON
考える!! BEFORE YOU HAVE TIME TO THINK, GIVE 'EM A GOOD WHACK!!
殴れ!!
瞬の間(まばたき)に AND DEFEAT THEM IN AN INSTANT
GAGA!!
Pow

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SFX: GAKU GAKU GAKU GAKU

SFX: BERII

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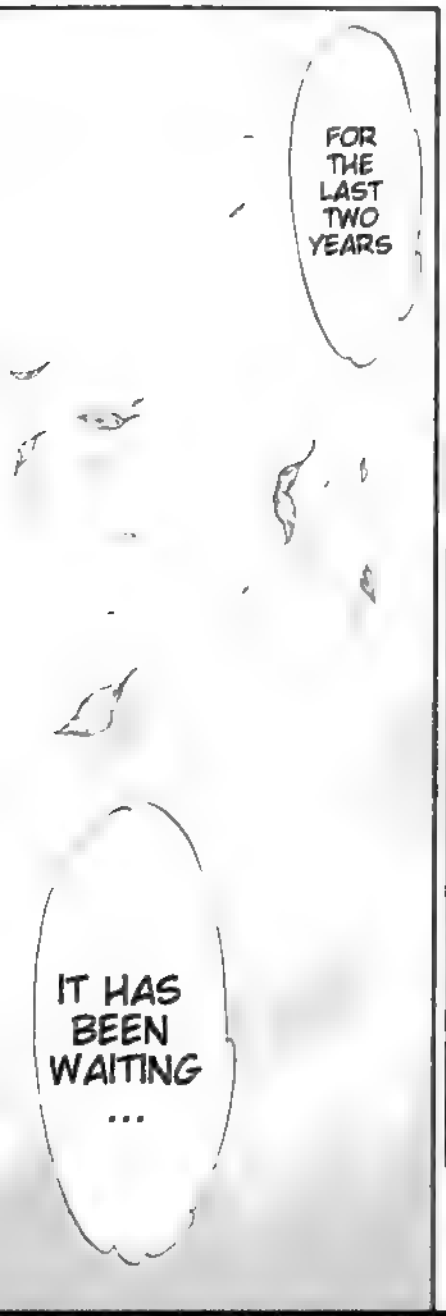
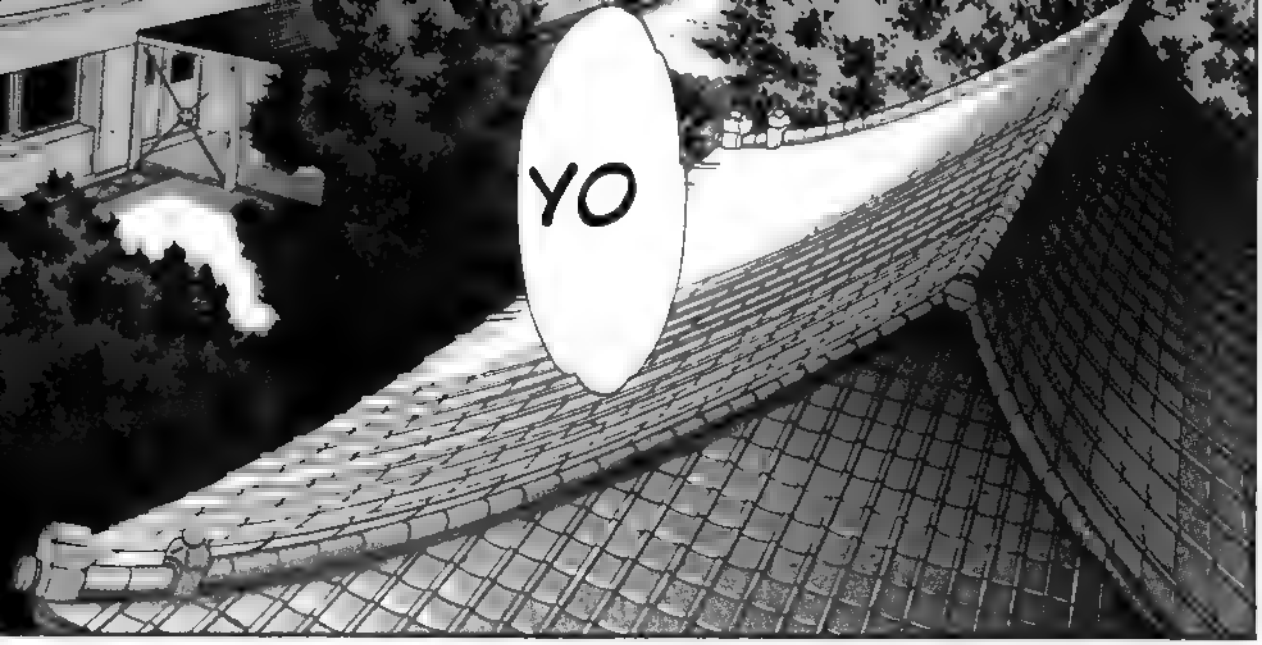
DA
WE DO IT!!
DAN
THIS IS HOW

... SHOULD I GO?
FIGHT:56


FOR THE LAST TWO YEARS
IT HAS BEEN WAITING ...

AND FOR JUST THAT REASON, IT'S GONE STAGNANT, AND ROTTEN, LIKE A TERRIBLE SLIME
THE AIR'S NO GOOD HERE

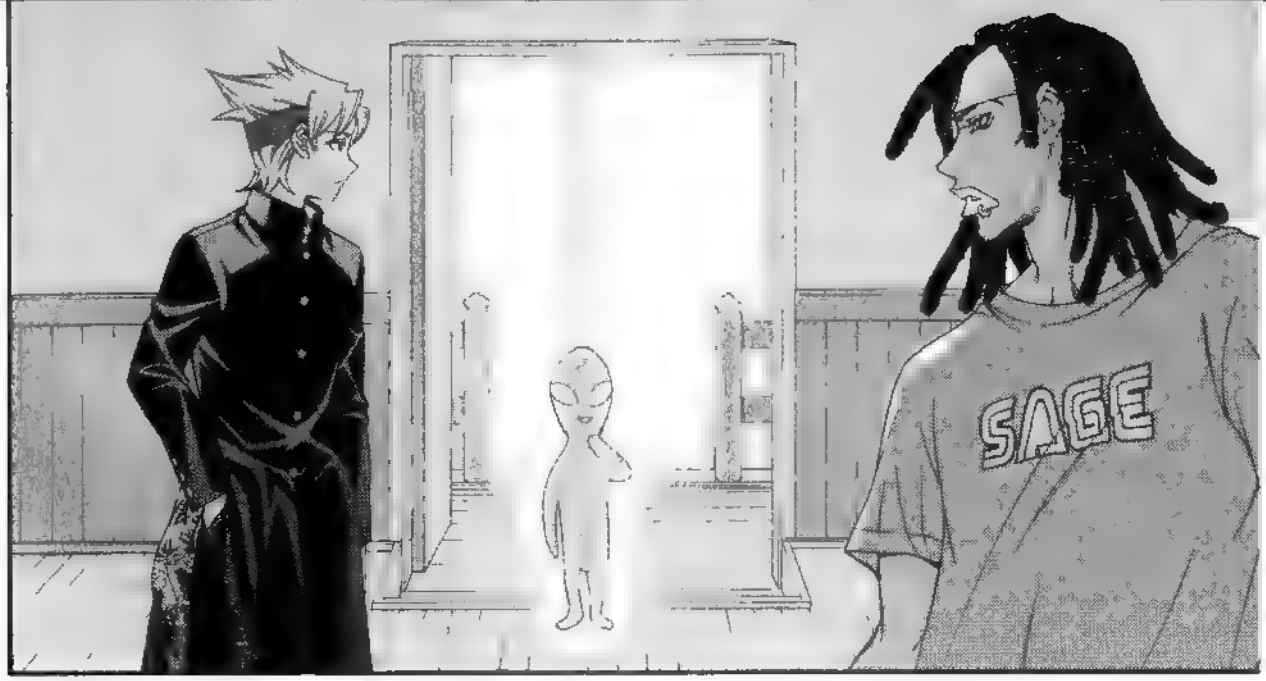
... BUT ... AT SOME POINT
THE "WIND" WILL START BLOWING


YO

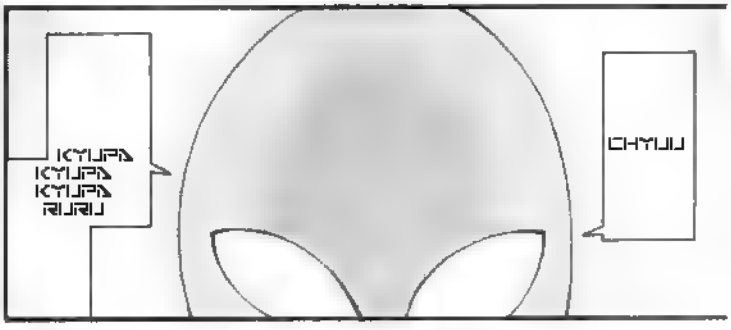
AW, THAT'S GREAT, WE CAN ALL HANG OUT HERE AND SPEND TIME TOGETHER
YOU IDIOT !! DON'T TAKE AN INJURY LIGHTLY !!
SAUL

BOTH MOM AND THE OLD MEN SAID I SHOULD REST UP A BIT, AND CHASED ME OUT
SO I THOUGHT I'D DO SOME STENGTH TRANING HERE
NO WAY! YOU SHOULDN'T EVEN BE WALKING!
UHN
SO WHAT DO YOU THINK ?
HAS YOUR PROGRESS SINCE THEN BEEN OK ?

IT IS VERY COMMON FOR A POWERFUL GROUP TO GET LOST IN THE CROWD ONCE THEY SUFFER AN INJURY ...
YOU HAVE TO BE CARE-FUL
...
THAT'S RIGHT


SAGE

... YEAH, AND I WAS HIT PRETTY HARD ON THE HEAD A FEW TIMES BEFORE
... HOLD ON A SEC ... MAN, I'VE BEEN WORKING TOO HARD LATELY

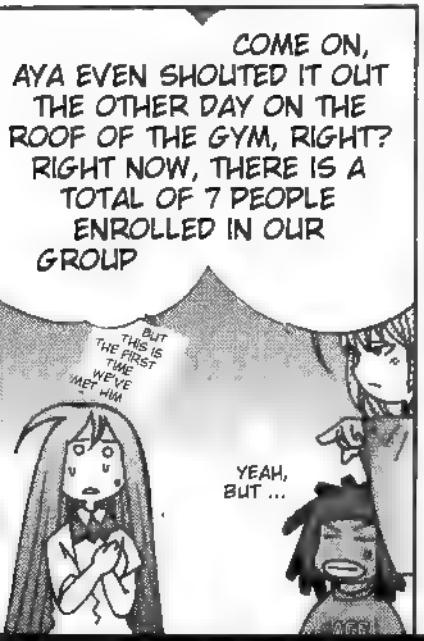

ICYUPA ICYUPA ICYUPA RURU
CHYUU

WOULD YOU CUT IT OUT

I'M RIGHT WITH YA!!
SOUICHIROU !! CALL THE TV STATIONS! CALL EM!!
AYA! ROPE! ROPE!!
PTU- PTU- PAPTU PAPTU PTUPI RURURU
GABAI
CHTU
I GOT HIM !?

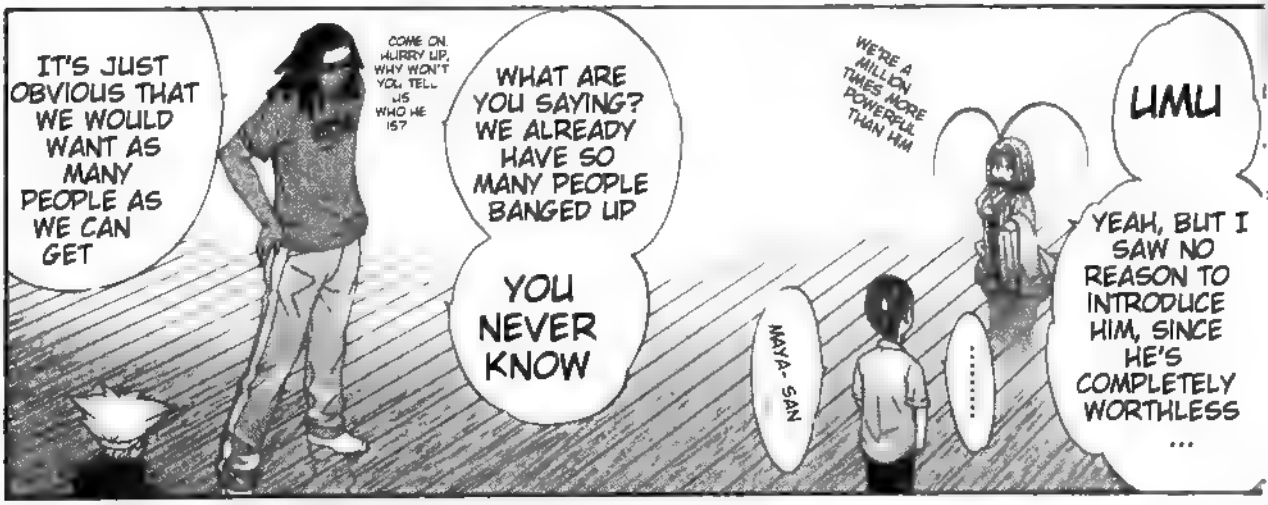
KUREI SHINICHIROU
KYUPO KYUPO
EH - WELL, LET ME TAKE CARE OF THE INTRO-DUCTIONS
I'M THE "VICE CAPTAIN" OF THE JYUUKENBU, KUREI
CHYU CHYU

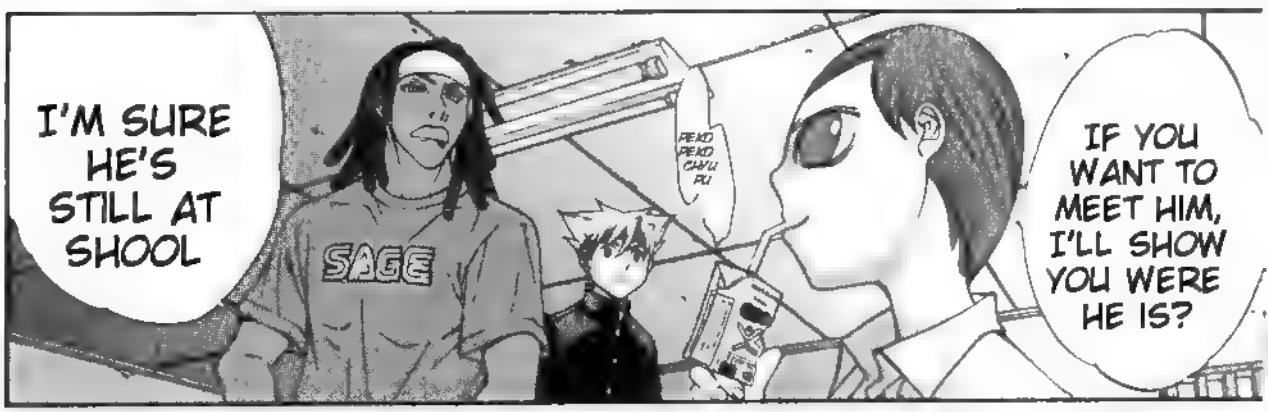
SFX: JIRI JIRI


COME ON, AYA EVEN SHOUTED IT OUT THE OTHER DAY ON THE ROOF OF THE GYM, RIGHT? RIGHT NOW, THERE IS A TOTAL OF 7 PEOPLE ENROLLED IN OUR GROUP
BUT THIS IS THE FIRST TIME WE'VE MET HIM
YEAH, BUT ...

VICE ... CAPTAIN ?
SORRY ABOUT THAT; THE NATIVES OF THIS PLANET ARE BRUTAL
OH, AREN'T YOU FUNNY TODAY TOO, MAYA-SAN
SO WHAT HAPPENED TODAY? DID YOUR FLYING SAUCER BREAK DOWN NEARBY ?

WAIT A SEC
7 PEOPLE ?
SO
THAT MEANS THERE IS 1 MORE ?


UMU
YEAH, BUT I SAW NO REASON TO INTRODUCE HIM, SINCE HE'S COMPLETELY WORTHLESS ...
WE'RE A MILLION TIMES MORE POWERFUL THAN HIM
.....
MAYA-SAN
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING? WE ALREADY HAVE SO MANY PEOPLE BANGED UP
YOU NEVER KNOW
COME ON, HURRY UP, WHY WON'T YOU TELL US WHO HE IS?
IT'S JUST OBVIOUS THAT WE WOULD WANT AS MANY PEOPLE AS WE CAN GET


IF YOU WANT TO MEET HIM, I'LL SHOW YOU WERE HE IS?
PEKO PEKO CHU PU
SAGE
I'M SURE HE'S STILL AT SHOOL

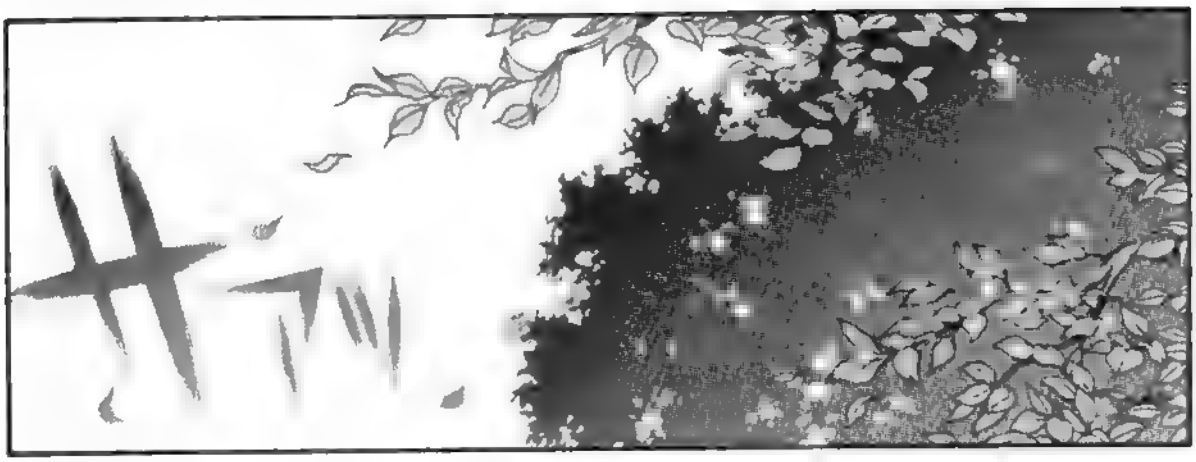
WELL ...
I THINK IT'S PROBABLY A WASTE OF TIME, BUT STILL ...

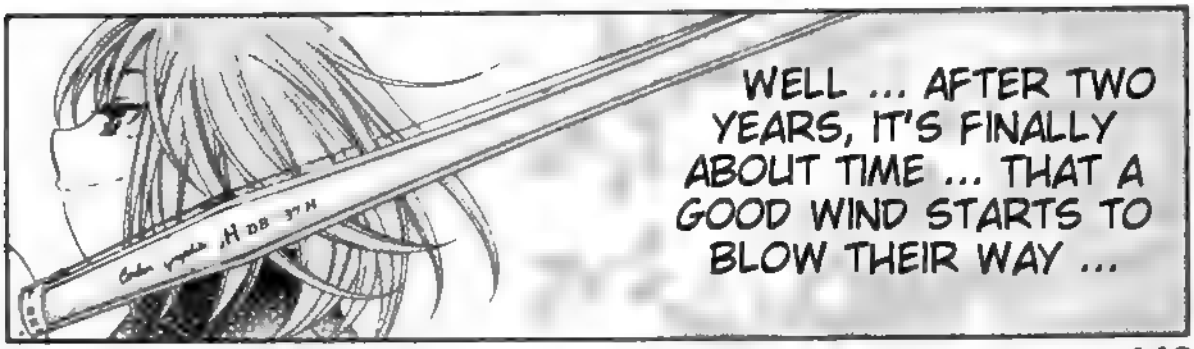
PICHYA
PICHYA
PICHYA
SEE ...
LOOK
WE'VE ... ALMOST GOT IT ... ?
SFX: KYUPO KYUPO
OK ... A BIT FASTER THERE ... JUST A BIT MORE ...
NN NN!!
.....
!!

.....
ALL RIGHT! SEE, I WON, I WON!
I LICKED OFF THAT SIDE -
AH - NO WAY!
HA
HA
winner
HOW ABOUT WE ALL 3 GO TOGETHER ?
HA HA ... OK, OK, DON'T FIGHT
YOU PROMISED YOU WOULD GO WITH ME!!
DELICIOUS
PAKU
NO, WITH ME!!
THAT MEANS YOU'LL GO ON THE DATE ON SUNDAY WITH ME, RIGHT!
A REAL PERV
YEAH
SOUICHIROU ... I'M NOT SURE BUT ... I THINK WE'RE DEALING WITH A REAL PERVERT HERE
SWISH
!!

THIS AREA IS OFF-LIMITS
WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE ?
SUH
I'M SUGANO KAGESADA ... BUT IF YOU KNOW THE WHOLE STORY, YOU MIGHT HAVE HEARD THIS NAME INSTEAD?
KOH
!
MY NICKNAME: ASSHAT. ONE OF THE FOUNDING MEMBERS OF THE JYUUKENBU

SFX: SAAA (WIND BLOWING)





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...SO?
WHAT HAVE YOU COME HERE FOR?
IF IT'S ABOUT THE ELECTION TOURNAMENT, I'LL HAVE NOTHING TO DO WITH THAT
.....
YOU DAMN DEMONS TRYING TO DISTURB MY PARADISE!
OR, TO PUT IT BLUNTLY ...
GO HOME!!

SFX: SHAKE SHAKE SHAKE

IT'S A WASTE OF TIME
... I TOLD YOU
?
BACK WHEN SHIN-SAN DIED, HE ALSO RECEIVED A SERIOUS, LIFE-THREATENING INJURY. BECAUSE OF THAT TRAUMA, THE BOTTOM OF HIS HEART HAS BEEN MIRED DOWN INTO THE DEPTHS OF A TERRIBLE SLIME
Looks like him, but is a completely different person

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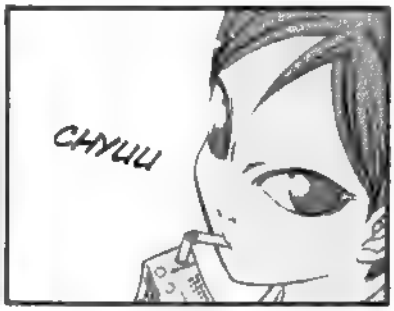
SORRY FOR BUGGIN' YA

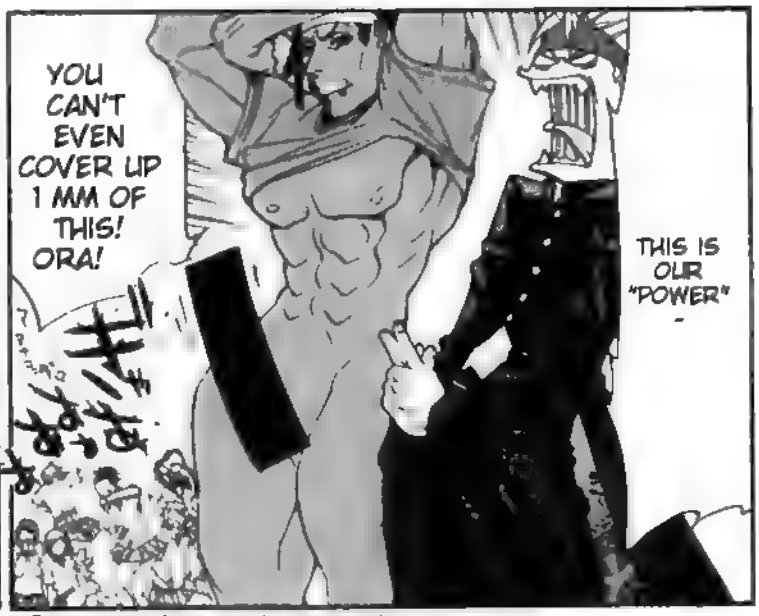
YEAH
SOUICHIROU

I WOULD BE WORRIED THAT NO MATTER HOW MUCH YOU COWER UNDER THE COVERS, YOUR ASS IS STILL STICKING UP
THE ONLY THING YOU'RE KEEPING UNDER WRAPS IS YOUR DICK
MR ASSHAT
IF I WAS MITSUOMI ... MORE THAN BEING WORRIED ABOUT BEING AN "ENEMY"

♡ SO WHILE YOU'RE COWERING UNDER THE COVERS, WE'LL TOTALLY SMASH HIS ASS
GOOD LUCK, BABY
♬


CHYUU

WAIT A SEC, FRESHMEN
WHAT IS IT, PIMP ?
WE DON'T GOT ANY-THING ELSE TO SAY TO YOU
PEH
DON'T JUST TALK SMACK
IF YOU'RE GONNA TALK CRAP LIKE THAT ...
AH ?
WHY DON'T YOU SHOW ME JUST HOW AMAZING YOUR "POWER" IS!!



GIRLS: GYAAA KYAAAA KYAAAA

今夜 AT MIDNIGHT TONIGHT
時
HERE IN THIS ROOM
...
賢教
CHALLENGE YOU TO A FIGHT!!
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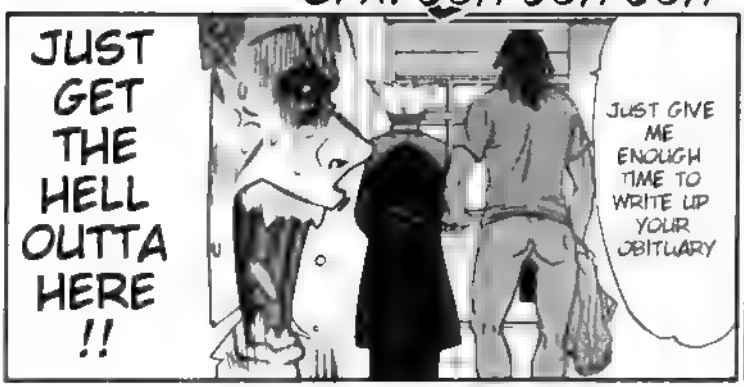
SFX: GOH GOH GOH


JUST GET THE HELL OUTTA HERE !!
JUST GIVE ME ENOUGH TIME TO WRITE UP YOUR OBITUARY

HMPH ...
IT DOESN'T MATTER TO ME, WE COULD DO IT RIGHT NOW

OK, OK, DON'T WORRY, IT'S FINE
WAH WAH
... SHIT, WHAT THE HELL'S UP WITH THEM ...

.....

IN APRIL WHEN WE CAME TO SCHOOL WE GOT TO FIGHT WE GOT TO FIGHT WE GOT TO FIGHT
IN MAY, WE ALSO GO TO FIGHT
A FIGHT, A FIGHT
GEH GEH GEH
ALL RIGHT

SFX: KYUN!

SFX: SNAP SNAP CRACK CRACK

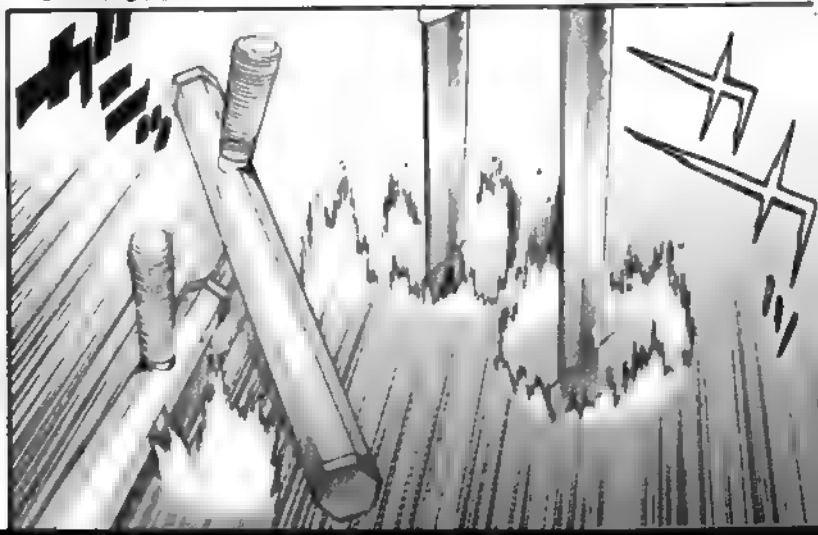
SFX: GOH

SFX: GAH GAH GAH

SFX: GAN

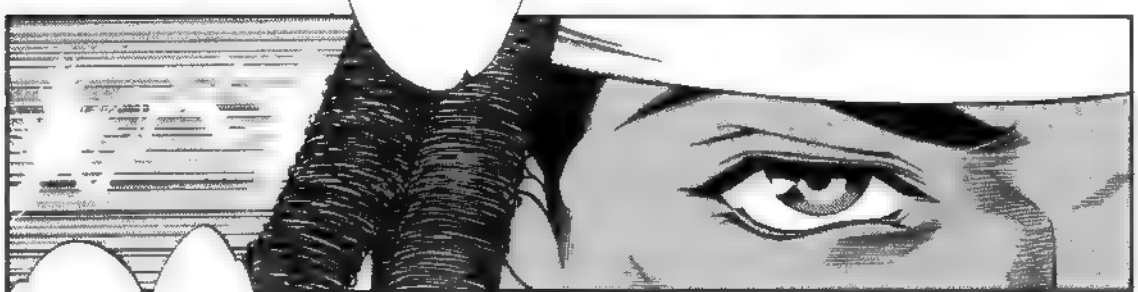
SFX: KAH KAH

ED NOTE BOB'S SHIRT SAYS "SA - GE" - THIS TIME IN KANA SWAP THE LETTERS AROUND TO GET "SEGA" - WHICH IS THE SAME FONT USED TO WRITE IT.



SFX: PETA
YO
HARA!
SFX SLIDE
NN
BIN!
YOU WERE ... AMAZING THIS AFTER-NOON. BUT
SUGANO-SAMA CAN TAKE ON ALL 4 OF US AT THE SAME TIME
... WE HAVE NO NEED FOR THE SHORTY ... HURRY UP AND GET OUTTA HERE
FOREIGNER

LET'S "FIGHT" !!
LICK



SO FAR, EVERY-THINGS GOING ACCORDING TO PLAN...
AH, YEA YEA
LEAVE THE REST TO ME
SOU-CHIROU ...
I WON'T TELL HER
DON'T TELL CHIAKI ♡

HE'S POWERFUL, BUT ... HE'S EXTREMELY VULNERABLE TO WOMEN
AS EXPECTED, I DON'T KNOW IF HE WILL BE ABLE TO PASS THE NEXT BARRIER OR NOT
TAP
SOUICHIROU ... DEMON EXORCIST ... OLDEST SON OF THE NAGI FAMILY
TAP
TAP
THAT'S REALLY CONVINCING COMING FROM YOU
.....
ALL MEN ARE SLAVES TO WOMEN
... THERE ARE NO MEN THAT ARE INVULNERABLE TO WOMEN
!!
... MEN ARE CREATURES OF FATE
AND IT'S THE WORST WHEN YOU ARE IN LOVE WITH HER

THI
...
THIS
IS
...

OK EVERY-ONE, HE'S HERE !!

LET'S DO IT FOR SUGANO-SAMA!!

Peace Price

Tropical cocktail

KAIUAI

菅野親衛隊 羅刹木人拳法!!

SUGANO BODY GUARD SILK TEMPLE WOODEN MAN KENPOU!!

Wooden men are closely lined up in a narrow passage - this is a masterful form of individual training widely used in Chinese martial arts, where one has to advance from one wooden man to the next, giving and receiving blows as they go.
Wooden Man training. Like that famous scene from the Jackie Chan movie.
SFX: KICK, HIT, ETC.
OW
GOWA !!
BUA
SFX: BOING BOING
HAI
HAI
HAI
HAI
HORA
HORA
HORA
HORA
HORA
HORA
HORA
HAI
HAI
HORA
HORA
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SFX: PIKU PIKU

UNFOR-TUNATELY FOR YOU, I'M CONSTANTLY BEING ATTACKED BY BREASTS MANY TIMES BIGGER THAN THESE EVERY DAY!
AH
A
... THIS ISN'T FUNNY ...
THIS IS THE KIND OF DEATH THAT ... ANY MAN WOULD LOVE, RIGHT?
HEH ...

SFX: GIRI GIRI GIRI GYUUUUU

OUCH
PU HAH
AN OPEN-ING
KOKIN
MIZUO
SFX: DON

I ... I THOUGHT HE WAS JUST SOME PERVERTED DUDE ... BUT ... WHAT A PUNCH ...
... WHA ...
SFX: DAMU
GAME OVER. I WIN
GISHI
ARE YOU ... SO HAPPY ... THAT YOU WON ... LIKE THAT ?

BUT ... MITSUOMI-SAN HAS ALWAYS USED FIGHTING TACTICS LIKE THIS TO SUPRESS THE SCHOOL. OVERWHELMING RESOURCES AND DIRTY TACTICS ... IN OTHER WORDS, THIS HAS BECOME THE STANDARD FOR FIGHTING IN THIS SCHOOL
OF COURSE I'M NOT HAPPY !!
YOU'RE CRAWLING AROUND ON THE GROUND
AND THE REALITY IS THAT RIGHT NOW
TRIED TO TAKE DOWN MITSUOMI-KUN ...
MANY GROUPS HAVE ...
... IN THE PAST TWO YEARS
BRAT !!
BUT I'M SICK OF HEARING THAT CRAP
BUT ...

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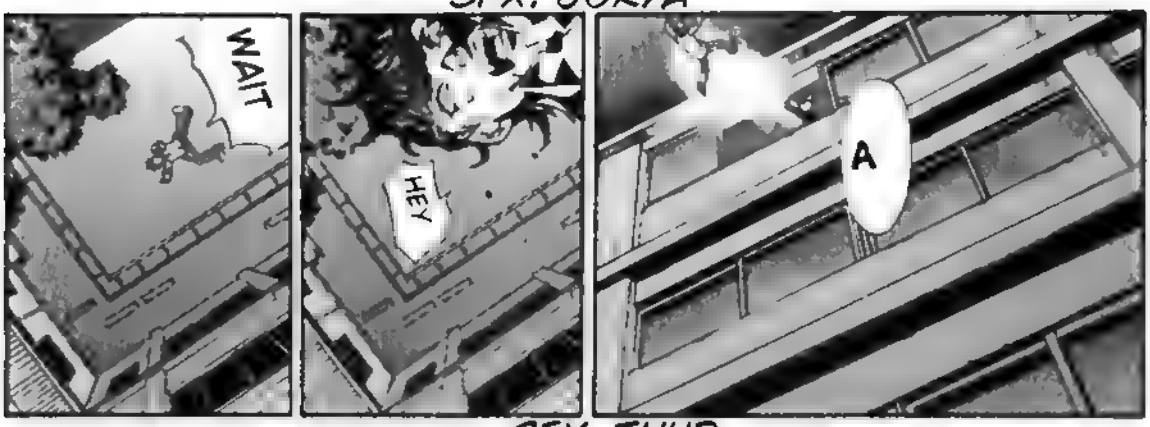
SFX: KYUUN
SFX: KYUUN KYUUN
ACCORDING TO MY DATA, YOUR LEFT LEG IS ... !!
STO ... STOP IT!!
THAT'S DREAMING !!
YOU'RE THE ONE

AND IN THAT CASE ...
YOU SHOULD
WORK WITH US TO CHANGE THAT "DREAM" INTO SOME-THING GOOD!!

MAKE THIS SCHOOL INTO A FIGHTING PARADISE ...

SAN
...
SHIN
...
I KNEW IT FROM THE START ...
... SEE, LOOK
SFX: ZAMA (WIND)
... THE WIND IS ...
!!

SFX: GOKYA



SFX: THUD

SFX: PIKU PIKU

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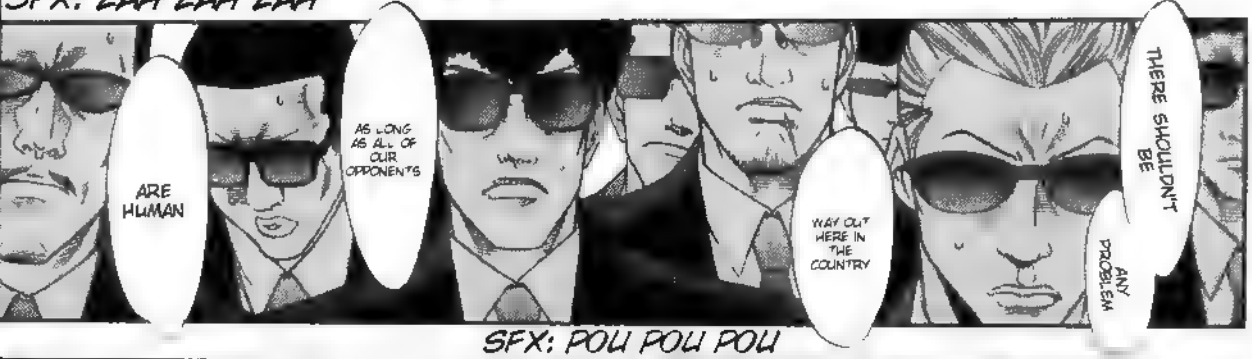
SFX: ZAH ZAH ZAH



SFX: POU POU POU

THE ENMI FAMILY WILL NEVER IN A HUNDRED YEARS GIVE IN TO TAKAYANAGI'S THUGS
LEAVE HERE!! RUN FAR AWAY, AND INFORM YOUR MASTERS!!

SFX HO HO HO HO HO HO HO

MOUKI-SAMA!!
MOUKI-SAMA
ENSHI AND ENKI ARE HOLDING OFF TAKAYANAGI'S SOLDIERS AT THE TEMPLE ENTRANCE!! MOUKI-SAMA, YOU MUST RUN FAR, FAR AWAY FROM HERE RIGHT NOW!!
ENMA ...
... IF BY SOME CHANCE SOMETHING WERE TO HAPPEN TO YOU ... THE ENMI FAMILY LINE WOULD COME TO AN END
.....
DON'T TAKE TAKAYANAGI LIGHTLY!! THEY HAVE TREMENDOUS RESOURCES!! THEY CAN ALSO RIP THROUGH OUR "TECHNIQUES" !!
... BUT ... ENMA ... LOOK, WOULDN'T IT BE BETTER IF I STAYED HERE AND HELPED FIGHT ?

KAH
NUU
!?
SFX: HYUIIII
SFX: BATA BATA BATA
SFX BARA BARA BARA
THE DEMONS
.....
!!
WHAT IS THIS ... !?

I CAN'T BELIEVE THAT ANYONE IS STILL USING THESE KINDS OF MUSTY OLD COUNTRY TRICKS. THAT'S JUST LIKE THE ENMI FAMILY, ONE THE 36 MINOR HOUSES FROM THE 12 FOUNDING FAMILIES THAT HAS ALWAYS BEEN HOME TO THE MOST REDNECK COUNTRY HICKS.
IT'S JUST A HALLUCINATION CAUSED BY OPIUM INCENSE STICKS AND THE SCALES FROM POISONIOUS MOTHS
SFX: ZUN
AH !!
GAH
HA ... HA HA!!
THEIR MASTER IS DEEP WITHIN THE TEMPLE
GO
AH ... HUH ?
WE WILL NOT LET YOU PASS !!

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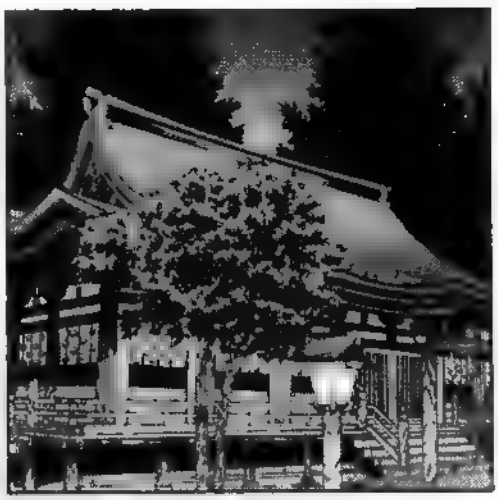
ZUU!!
SFX: GI GI GI
WH ... WHY ... DO WE HAVE TO FIGHT ... WHEN WE USED TO SUPPORT BOTH SIDES OF THE TAKAYANAGI FEATHERS TOGETHER ...
DAMN YOU ... DAMN YOU MISTUOMI ... !!
YOU ARE WRONG
I DON'T KNOW ABOUT THE OTHER WHITE FEATHERS, BUT

I HAVE NEVER ONCE THOUGHT OF YOU RED FEATHERS AS "COMRADES" ONCE IN MY LIFE EVER!!
A MEMBER OF "F", THE 14TH "DEVASTATING 8 SPEARS", TSUMUJI MATAZA
I WILL DEFEAT YOU

MOUKI, THE CURRENT HEIR, FLED JUST BEFORE WE ARRIVED
YES ... WE'VE TAKEN CONTROL ... WE'LL DESTROY THE SHRINE NEXT
... NO



I'LL STAY HERE IN KYUSHYU UNTIL I'VE KILLED THE ENTIRE ENMI FAMILY
... YEAH, OK
SPIN
SPIN
I'LL TAKE MY TIME QUESTIONING HER
I LEFT THE TEMPLE WHORE CALLED ENMA ALIVE FOR NOW

LOOKS LIKE WE'LL BE SPENDING A LONG NIGHT TOGETHER
PAKU
WELL THEN -
HAA ...
HAA ...

CUT IT OUT! THAT'S JUST GROSS !!
And strike thee down
And the children of Kunme bear their stones and mallets
WHA ... WHAT ARE YOU SAYING!!? STAND UP!!
!!
There are many people
- In the fields of Okazakeru - There are many people

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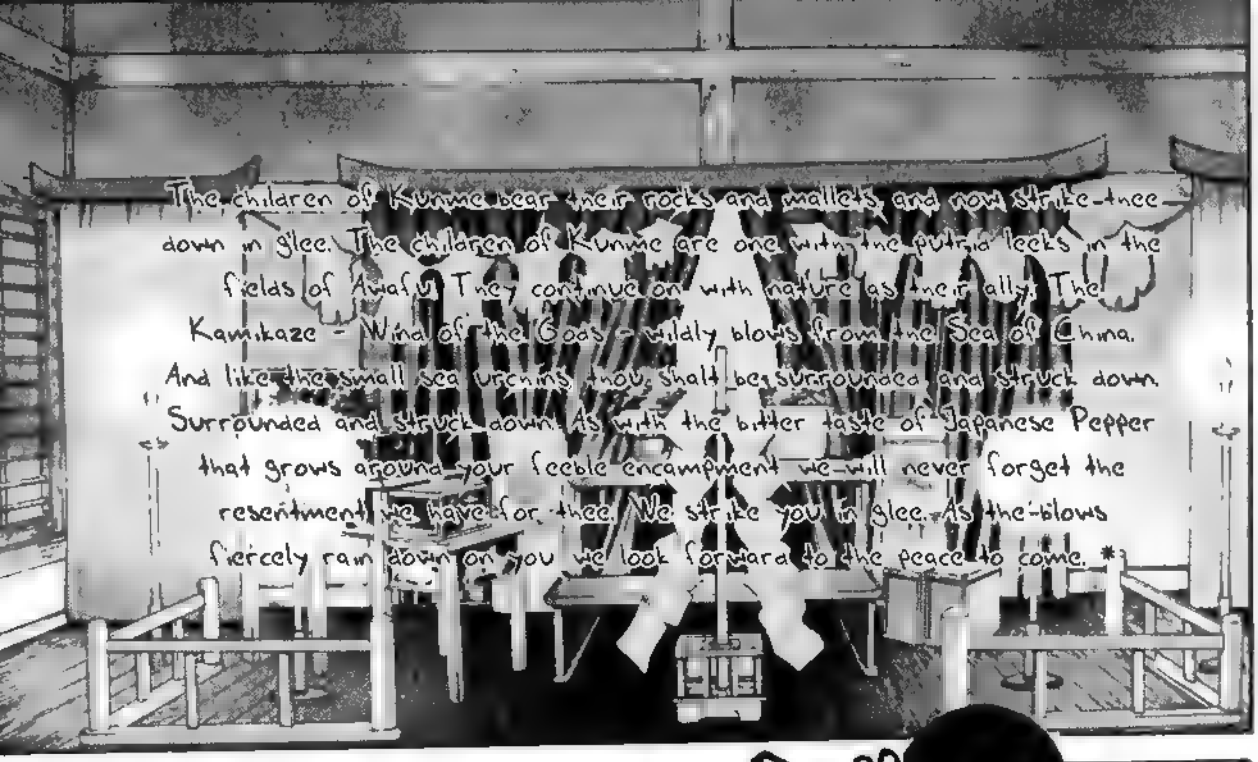
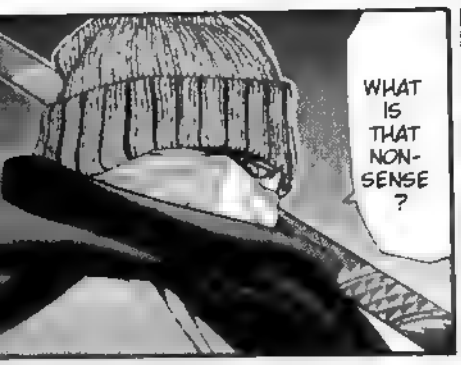

The chilaren of Kunme bear their rocks and mallets, and now strike thee down in glee. The chilaren of Kunme are one with the putrid leeks in the fields of Awafu. They continue on with nature as their ally. The Kamikaze - Wind of the Gods - wildly blows from the Sea of China. And like the small sea urchins thou shalt be surrounded and struck down. Surrounded and struck down. As with the bitter taste of Japanese Pepper that grows around your feeble encampment we will never forget the resentment we have for thee. We strike you in glee. As the blows fiercely rain down on you we look forward to the peace to come. *

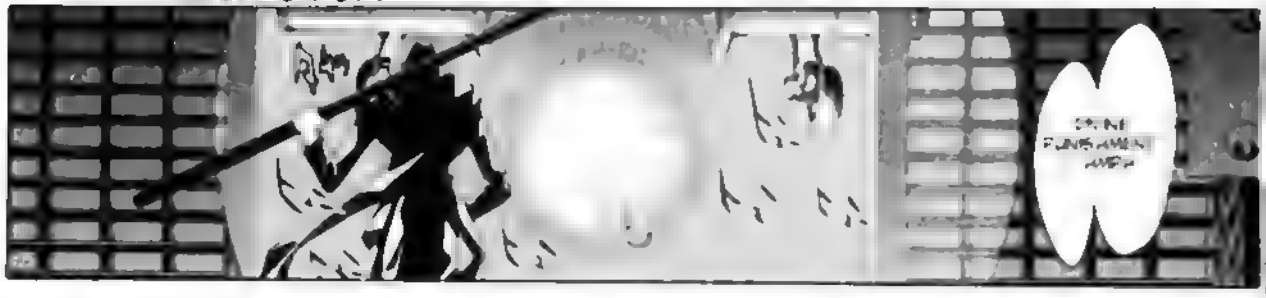


REMEMBER THAT, AND SHAKE IN FEAR!!
TAKAYANAGI WILL COME TO ITS END HERE!! I SWEAR THIS ON THE BLOOD SPILLED HERE, AND THE 200 YEARS OATH THAT WE HAVE SWORN TO FOREVER PROTECT ...

* Related to a song in a japanese fairy or historical tale? Try http //www asahi-net or jp/ ~sg2h-ynst/yamatouta/sennin/jinmu.html

FUO-

SFX: GOGAH



SOUNDS LIKE FUN ...
♡
BECAUSE I HAVEN'T FOUND AN OPPONENT GOOD ENOUGH FOR MY SPEAR YET!!

SFX GARA
SFX GATA GATA

SFX: JIII JIWAWA
RA !! SHYA
SFX: BAH BAH BAH
HRM
HRM
HRM
HRM
HRM
HRM
HRM
HRM
HRM

I REALLY SHOULD BE WORKING OUT TOO ...
SAVAS
TELL SOUICHIROU-SAMA THAT HE SHOULDN'T BE OVER-DOING IT LIKE THAT. HE'S SUPPOSED TO BE RECOVERING NOW
GARA
SFX: BAH BAH BAH BAH
... WHA ...
... WHAT ARE THEY DOING ... ?
UMU. I'M NOT SURE, BUT IT LOOKS LIKE THEY'RE HAVING A SIT-UP COMPETITION
WELL, IT'S NOT LIKE I REALLY WANT TO HANG AROUND TO SEE WHO WINS ...

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SFX: BISHI

SFX: HAA HAA HAA SHYUUUUU

WELL, I THINK I WON'T BE ABLE TO PRACTICE FOR A BIT ...
HEY HEY
YOU'RE JUST LUCKY NOT TO BE GOING STRAIGHT TO A GRAVE!! IF AYA HADN'T GOTTEN TO YOU FIRST, I'D HAVE ...
ACTUALLY, I THINK I SHOULD GO TO THE HOSPITAL

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OH
.....
THANKS
♡
STARE
YOU'VE JOINED US IN THE DOJO ...
.....
IT'S BEEN ... ABOUT TWO YEARS SINCE
IF MITSUOMI GRADUATES ... THE TIGER LEFT OUT IN THE FIELD WILL HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO ATTACK ...
AND NOW IT'S BEEN 3 YEARS ... THE NEXT ELECTION TOURNAMENT WILL BE OUR LAST CHANCE. THE RESULT WILL DEFINITELY HAVE AN IMPORTANT IMPACT ON THE MARTIAL ARTS WORLD ...
... AND THE EXTREME VIOLENCE OF THE WAR WILL ELIMINATE THEM ALL BEYOND OUR IMAGINATION !!
THE "POWERS" AND "ABILITIES", "TECHNIQUES" AND "SKILLS", THAT WE ALL HAVE

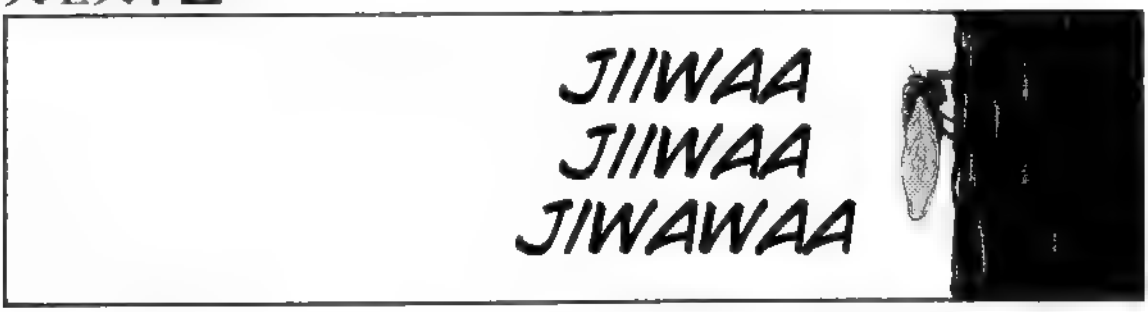
SO WE'VE GOT TO FACE THIS IMPORTANT FIGHT THAT WE CAN'T LOSE
AND FINALLY ALL THE OLD FRIENDS HAVE GATHERED
THIS IS THE MOST ENCOURAGING SIGN YET

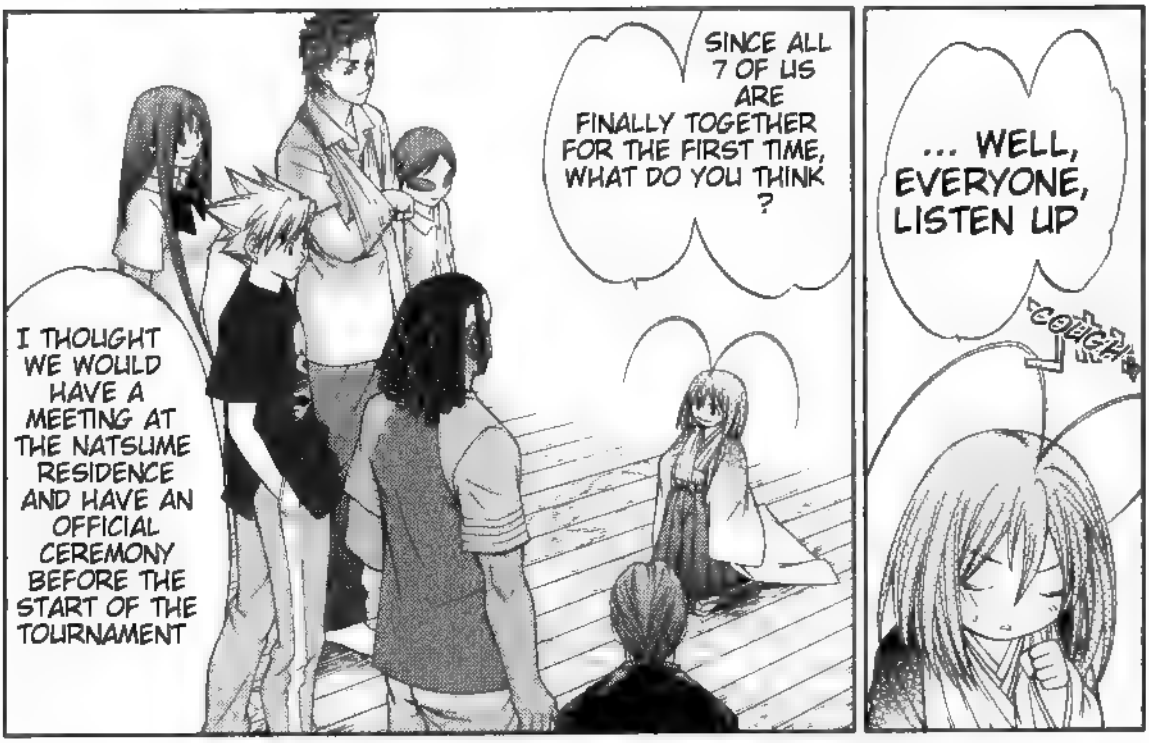
SFX: PYU PYU

DON'T TELL ME THE PERSONAL RELATIONSHIPS ARE GOING TO GET COMPLICATED AGAIN
OH, WHAT WAS THAT? SOME SORT OF MYSTERIOUS FLYING IRON WEIGHT
...
HEY !!

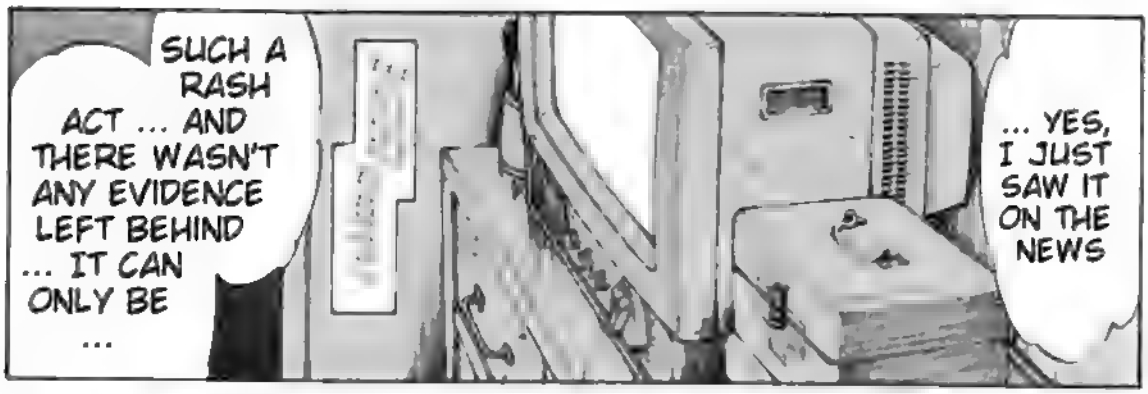
SFX: THUD

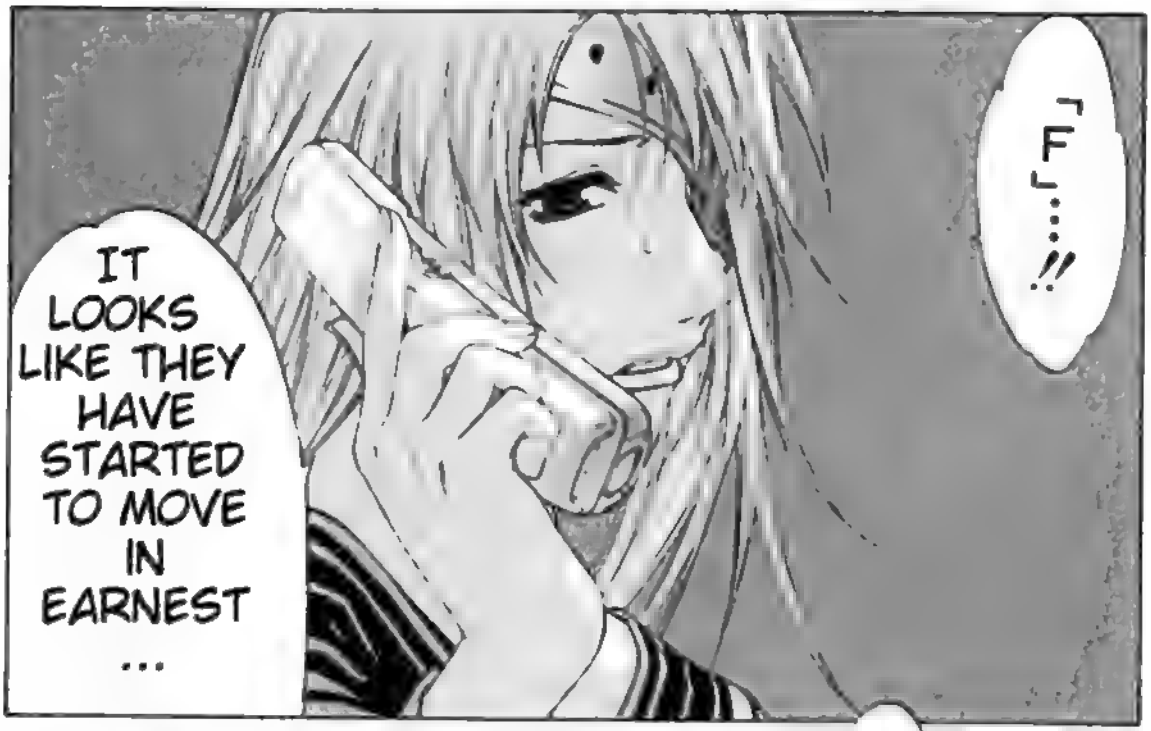
SFX: KISS


JIIWAA
JIIWAA
JIWAWAA


I THOUGHT WE WOULD HAVE A MEETING AT THE NATSUME RESIDENCE AND HAVE AN OFFICIAL CEREMONY BEFORE THE START OF THE TOURNAMENT
SINCE ALL 7 OF US ARE FINALLY TOGETHER FOR THE FIRST TIME, WHAT DO YOU THINK ?
... WELL, EVERYONE, LISTEN UP
COUGH

OK, IT'S DECIDED THEN! LET'S GATHER TONIGHT AT 8 O'CLOCK AT MY PLACE !!
DO WE HAVE ANY SAKE ?
OH, GOOD ONE !!
THAT'S A GOOD IDEA!!

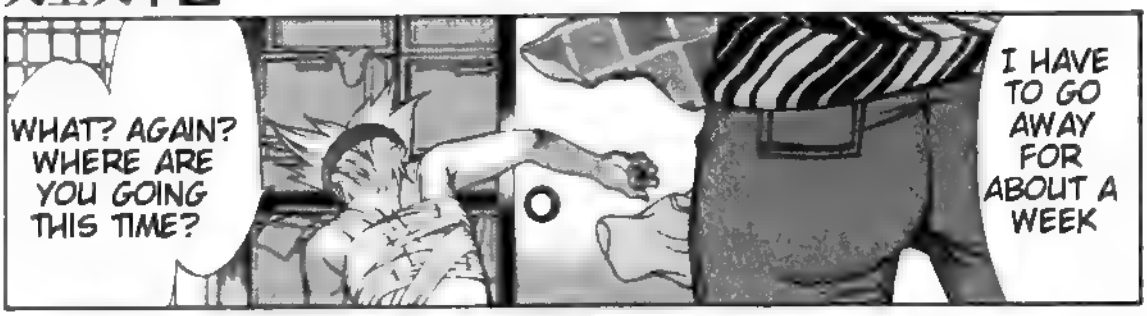

SUCH A RASH ACT ... AND THERE WASN'T ANY EVIDENCE LEFT BEHIND ... IT CAN ONLY BE ...
... YES, I JUST SAW IT ON THE NEWS


IT LOOKS LIKE THEY HAVE STARTED TO MOVE IN EARNEST ...
「F」...!!

... SOUICHIROU ...
I'M GOING TO BE GONE FOR A LITTLE BIT

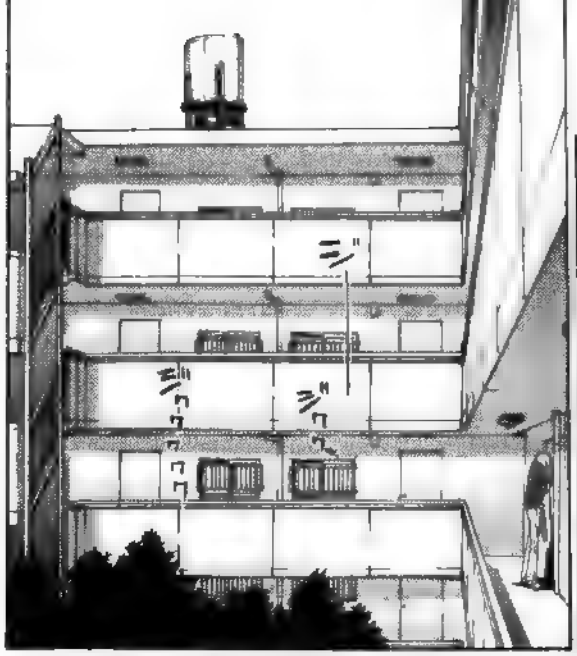
EHH ...
... AH ...
I'LL CALL YOU BACK !!
YO

NAH, I'M OK
DO YOU WANT TO EAT?



SFX: BEEP BEEP~

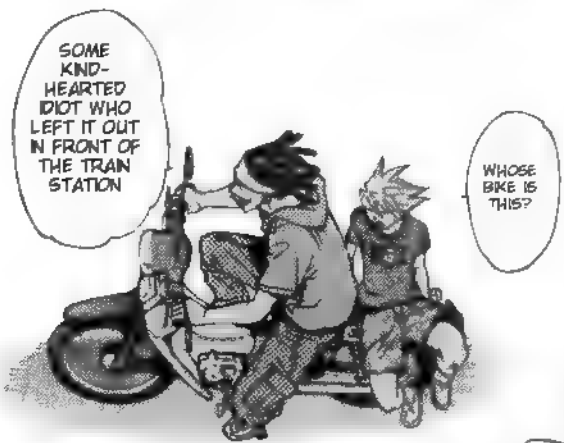
SFX: ZAH ZAH



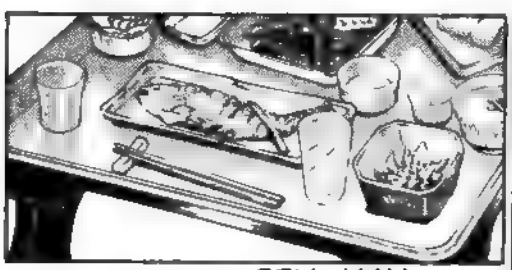
SFX: BURU ...

SFX: ZUKI ZUKI

SFX: JII JIIWAWA (CICADA SOUNDS)



Later that day -



SFX: KAH

SFX: GYA HA HA HA

IT SEEMS LIKE EVERY DAY UP TO NOW HAS BEEN A LIE
YOU ALMOST WANT TO ASK IF ALL OF THOSE FIGHTS UP UNTIL NOW WERE JUST BAD DREAMS

I REALLY WISH
THIS DAY COULD CONTINUE ON FOREVER
THIS DAY CAME ALL OF A SUDDEN
...
NN
...
SFX: ZUKI ZUKI
SFX: ZUKI
...
WHAT IS THIS ... SOME SORT OF PREMONITION ... !?
SFX: RIII

SFX: BARA
SFX: RIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIIII
AND THEY BEGIN ONCE AGAIN
THE DAYS OF STRIFE

... OR TO PUT IT IN SOLDIER SPEAK, A COMMON FOOT SOLDIER, A PRIVATE FIRST CLASS ON THE FRONT LINES
... ME, I'M A HOODLUM. JUST A REGULAR HOODLUM.

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OF THE PUNKS
AND CERTAINLY YOU ARE THE GENERAL
THE EVENTS OF THAT NIGHT ...
AND SO ...
NO MATTER WHAT KIND OF AWESOME ENEMY WE HAVE TO FIGHT ...
STARTED PUSHING US
ON TO THE MAIN BATTLE FIELD
IT IS MY DUTY TO FACE THEM DIRECTLY, AND FIGHT
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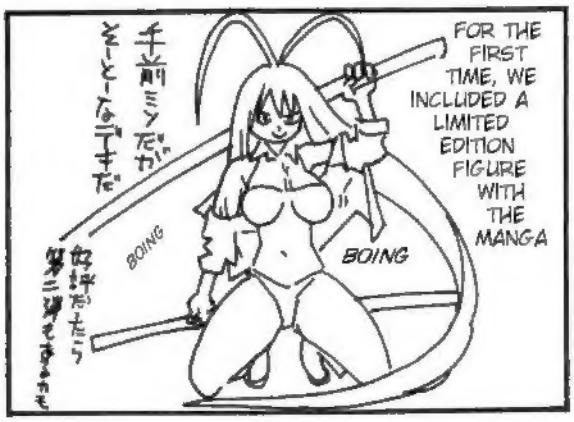
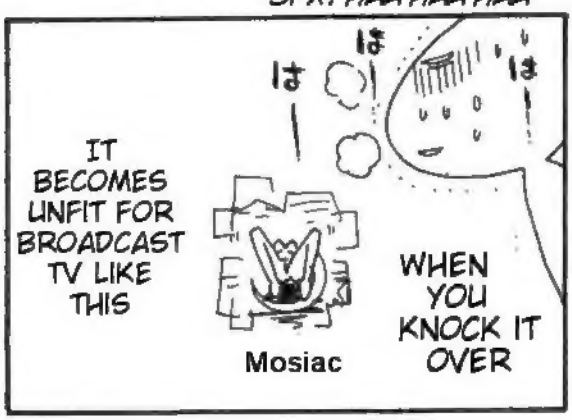


BECAUSE NOT ONLY DOES NOBODY THINK THEY ARE THE MAIN CHARACTERS, MOST PEOPLE THINK "WE DON'T EVEN NEED THEM" ...
SO WHY MAYA? WHY NOT THE MAIN CHARACTERS?

SFX: HAA HAA HAA



YEAH, BUT LATELY I'VE BEEN GETTIN' ALL THE STARES... HEH HEH HEH

"THE POWER OF IJUU'S LATE NIGHT IDIOCY"

AND, RELATED TO THAT, THERE IS A VERY FAMOUS LATE NIGHT RADIO SHOW

ONE DAY, IN ORDER TO IMPROVE TO DRAWINGS

THE STAFF

SENSEI

TO IMPROVE THE EFFICIENCY OF THE WORK-PLACE, WE WOULD LIKE YOU TO STOP WATCHING TV AT WORK ...

MADE THIS SENSIBLE REQUEST OF ME - I WAS INTO IT AT FIRST, BUT

I HAVE NO IDEA

SOUND FROM THE TV

Background music used in the office

IJUU'S PROGRAM RECORDED ON MINI DISC

MOST OF THE PEOPLE SPEND THE DAY LISTENING TO OLD RECORDER PROGRAMS OF HIS NOW THAT WE CAN'T WATCH TV

THERE ARE LOTS OF IJUU MANIACS ON OUR STAFF

TV

DURING ONE OF THE PROGRAMS, IJUU WENT TO VISIT THE OFFICE OF A FAMOUS MANGA ARTIST THAT DRAWS A MANGA SUPPORTED BY A FAMOUS MAGAZINE ...

TO CONTINUE THE STORY

TV

WA HA HA HA GERA GERA

BLAH BLAH BLAH BLAH

COME VISIT US TOO!!

THE CRY WENT OUT FROM THE DEPTHS OF OUR STAFF'S HEARTS

COME VISIT US, AND LOVE US!!

BUT IT REALLY HURT PRODUCTIVITY

TURN IT OFF

HAND WRITTEN

ALL I DID WAS PUT A PIECE OF CARD-BOARD OVER THE SCREEN

STOP LOOKIN' AT THE BOOB TUBE

I'M SO FRUSTRATED

完。 The End.

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